



CRAWFORD COUNTY AVALANCHE

Thursday, July 15, 1993

Home of the AuSable River

50¢



1993 Crawford County Fair Schedule of Events

Tuesday, July 20
10 am to 8 pm- Exhibit building
open for exhibit entries

Carnival setup all day

Wednesday, July 21
8 am to 11:30 am- All animals
registered for exhibit must be in
animal barns for judging by 11:30
am

10:30 am- Exhibit building closed
for judging

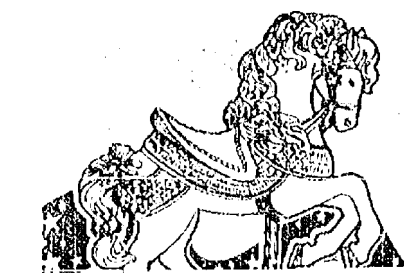
12 noon- Opening Fair Ceremony
Carnival opens
Pony Rides all day
DNR Exhibit W/Smokey the Bear
GTE Exhibit
Big Boy Helium Balloon
Animal Petting Area open all day
Mystery Car Tickets on sale
Flea Market Alley - all day

4 pm- Seniors' Kitchen Band.

7 pm - Little Miss Crawford
County Fair (In the Pavilion \$1
admission)

Thursday, July 22
12 noon
Carnival opens
All Exhibit Buildings open
Pony Rides all day
DNR Exhibit W/Smokey the Bear
Military Exhibit on display
Consumers Power Exhibit
Big Boy Helium Balloon
Animal Petting Area all day
Mystery Car Tickets on sale
Flea Market Alley

7 pm- Talent Show in Pavilion
(\$2 admission)



Friday, July 23
12 noon
Carnival opens
All Exhibit Buildings open
Pony Rides all day
DNR Exhibit W/Smokey the Bear
Military Exhibit on display
Consumers Power Exhibit
Big Boy Helium Balloon
Animal Petting Area all day
Mystery Car Tickets on sale
Flea Market Alley

12 noon to 4 p.m.- Antique Car
Show

6 to 7 pm- Louise Tournaud Dance
School

6:30 pm- Bull-o-rama in Horse
Arena

8 pm to 1 pm- Vegas Night &
Beer Tent, music by Free-Wheelin
& Co.

Saturday, July 24
12 noon
Carnival opens
All Exhibit Buildings open
Pony Rides all day
DNR Exhibit W/Smokey the Bear
Military Exhibit on display
Consumers Power Exhibit
Big Boy Helium Balloon
Animal Petting Area all day
Mystery Car Tickets on sale
Flea Market Alley

1:30 pm- Demolition Derby

2 pm- Firemen's Water Fight

3 pm- Model Airplane Show

6:30- Bullmania

9 pm to 1 am- Beer Tent, live
band High Society Wise Guys.

Sunday, July 25
4-H Horse Show- Time to be
announced

Little League Baseball Game-
Time to be announced

Treasurer lists top property tax payers

By Terry Wright

Ten county property owners
represent more than 20% of the
county's total property values,
according to a recent official statement
from the Crawford County Treasurer's
office.

Using 50% of true value to determine
state equalized valuation (SEV),
Crawford County was reported as
having an SEV of \$242,727,630.
Residential was by far the largest
category, comprising 67.29% of the
total county SEV. Commercial
(9.55%), industrial (6.16%), personal

property (15.52%), and agriculture
(1.48%) round out the list.

The employed workforce was listed
as 7,075 in 1992. That figure represents
an increase of 175 workers over the
1991 figure. The unemployed were
listed as being 525, a one-year increase
of 25 persons to 7.5% in 1992.

The report included a statement by
William L. Holmes, certified public
accountant serving as an independent
auditor of county financial reporting
methods. Holmes stated, "The general
purpose financial statements referred
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Listed as the top ten county property
owners in 1992 SEV were:

Grayling Generating	1992 SEV
Weyerhaeuser	\$11,131,200
Shell Oil	5,872,500
Union Oil	3,726,399
State of Michigan	3,676,200
Great Lakes Transmission	3,627,600
Saginaw Bay Transmission	3,592,000
Consumers Power	3,258,000
Michcon Gas	3,109,015
Top-O-Michigan REA	2,627,220
	2,074,758

(Total Represents 22.69% of SEV)

\$42,694,892

Grayling man murdered Tuesday on way to work

By Terry Wright

Crawford County Sheriff
Department officials confirmed that
they were involved in an investigation
of a homicide on Tuesday morning,
July 13, that took place in Grayling
Township, north of the City of

Grayling, in a wooded area.

The investigation was underway
after 7 a.m. with Sheriff Department
detectives, forensic crime experts and
detectives from the Michigan State
Police, and state police K-9 units on
the scene.

The victim was identified as Terry

Barr age 54, a Grayling Township
resident. He was employed as a public
access sites supervisor with the
Recreation Division of the Michigan
Department of Natural Resources.
Barr died of an apparent gunshot

wound.
Barr is survived by his wife Jane
Ann, son Michael (24), and daughter
Debbie Ann (23).

No further details could be released
by officials until further investigation
is completed.

Area youth build 'Box City' to learn about problems of homeless people

By Terry Wright

If you happened to drive past the
Grayling Mini-Mall last Friday
evening, you might have seen a group
of young homeless people sleeping in
boxes or receiving their evening meals
from a soup line. The youths you saw
were actually part of a project called
"Box City," sponsored by the Grayling
Interfaith Youth Group, simulating the
circumstances of the homeless while,
at the same time, stocking the shelves
of the local food pantry.

Nineteen 6th through 9th grade
children participated in the event that
raised over \$200 worth of food and
donations besides raising the
awareness of the group about the living
conditions of the homeless. They ate
vegetable soup from a soup line and
spent the night in cardboard boxes.

Mary Nama helped organize the
event. "They had fun but also they
learned the problems of the homeless,"
she said. The project was designed to
show the children many of the
problems that the homeless typically
face, such as hunger, cold,
sleeplessness, mosquitos, and even
police harassment. Two different
times during their overnight stay, the
children were rousted from their sleep
by police, once with a siren and flashing
lights.

On Friday evening, Gerri Schroeder
and Barb Green, from the Crawford
County Food Pantry, presented a
program of Bible verses concerning

feeding the hungry. Then they put the
children through interviews as if they
were actually applying for food
assistance.

The Grayling Interfaith Youth
Group consists of youths from many
area churches, working together for
fellowship and education.



PREPARING FOR BAD NIGHT'S SLEEP--(L To R) Vicki Griesemer, Shannon Wakeley, and Meaghan Gosling prepare to spend the night in cardboard boxes. The project simulated conditions that face the homeless who spend their nights on the streets of our cities. (Photo by Linda Wright)

English racers eager to take on Marathon

By Terry Wright

Peter Jones and Karl Slater are
looking forward to this year's AuSable
Marathon. They have worked very
hard for the honor of racing and are
confident that they will make a good
showing and take high honors back
with them when they go home.

Peter and Karl don't race just for
themselves; they are the first
representatives to come to Grayling as
winners of the premier canoe race in
the Kingdom of Great Britain. When
they race here next week they will
carry with them the honor of Queen
Elizabeth II and the pride of the entire
British Empire.

The pair arrived in Grayling last
week. They were picked up at Metro
Airport in Detroit by an envoy of
dignitaries and well-wishers from
Grayling and delivered by chartered
bus to the Grayling Holiday Inn, where
they will stay until July 28, when they
head back to England.

To make the trip to the '93 Marathon,
Peter and Karl won the Devizes to
Westminster C2 Canoe Race. The
prize was an all-expense-paid trip to
the AuSable Marathon, compliments
of Northwest Airlines and Holiday
Inns, making it the richest race in all of
Europe.

There are many similarities between
the AuSable Marathon and the Devizes
to Westminster Race. The Marathon
is long, about 120 miles. The Devizes
is just a few miles longer. In the
Marathon, racers paddle through the
night for 15 to 16 hours. In the Devizes,
the racers paddle through the night for
19 to 28 hours. The Marathon has five
portages where paddlers must carry
their canoes over dams. The Devizes

has 76 portages where paddlers must
carry their canoes over dams and locks.

The Devizes race is against the clock.
Racers have a 12-hour time frame in
which they may start their race. The
first 100 miles is raced through shallow
canals with little current. Some years,
the thick aqua-vegetation is a major
obstacle. Other years, when the water
is high, it is not. Racers must pace
themselves so when they reach the end
of the canal and enter the Thames
River, the tide is at its highest level.
For the final 30-mile leg to
Westminster, in downtown London,
the racers who have timed their race
properly are able to utilize the current
from the falling tide as it moves back
out to the English Channel. According
to Karl, "You can really be in a mess
if you miss the tide."

Peter and Karl won the Devizes race
in both 1992 and 1993, making them
the undisputed premier C2 racing team
in all of England.

They both began canoeing as Boy
Scouts in different parts of England
and became friends when their families
settled in the Poole area on the southern
coast of the country. As members of
the Poole Harbour Canoe Club, both
have extensive experience in a variety
of watercraft, including ocean
kayaking, white water kayaking,
sailing, canoeing and marathon racing.

They began paddling as a team in
1990 and, in 1991, placed 3rd in their
first Devizes race, finishing in a time
of 26:15. In 1991 they won the race in
22:07, and they won again this year
with a time of 19:22.

The pair had its first view of the
AuSable about a week ago when they
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HOMELESS FOR ONE NIGHT--Members of the Grayling Interfaith Youth Group receive their dinners from a soup line as part of the "Box City" encounter with homelessness. (Photo by Linda Wright)

Camp Lehman inmate escapes from work crew

A Camp Lehman inmate escaped
from custody on Thursday, July 8.

Tony Allard of Benton Harbor
was serving ten to 30 years for
Violation of the Drug Law (VDL) when
he walked away from a work crew
clearing trails in the national forest
near Mio, said Steve Anderson, resi-
dent unit manager (RUM) at the
prison camp.

Allard would have been eligible
for parole on June 1, 1996.
Camp Lehman is a minimum se-

curity prison located on M-93, just
east of Hartwick Pines.

A Ryder truck, rented by Allard
and a woman who is apparently his
wife, was found abandoned in a
small town in Arkansas on Mon-
day, July 12, said John Wireman,
deputy of the camp.

On Tuesday, July 13, city police
in White Plains, Missouri, informed
Wireman that they believe they have
knowledge of his whereabouts.

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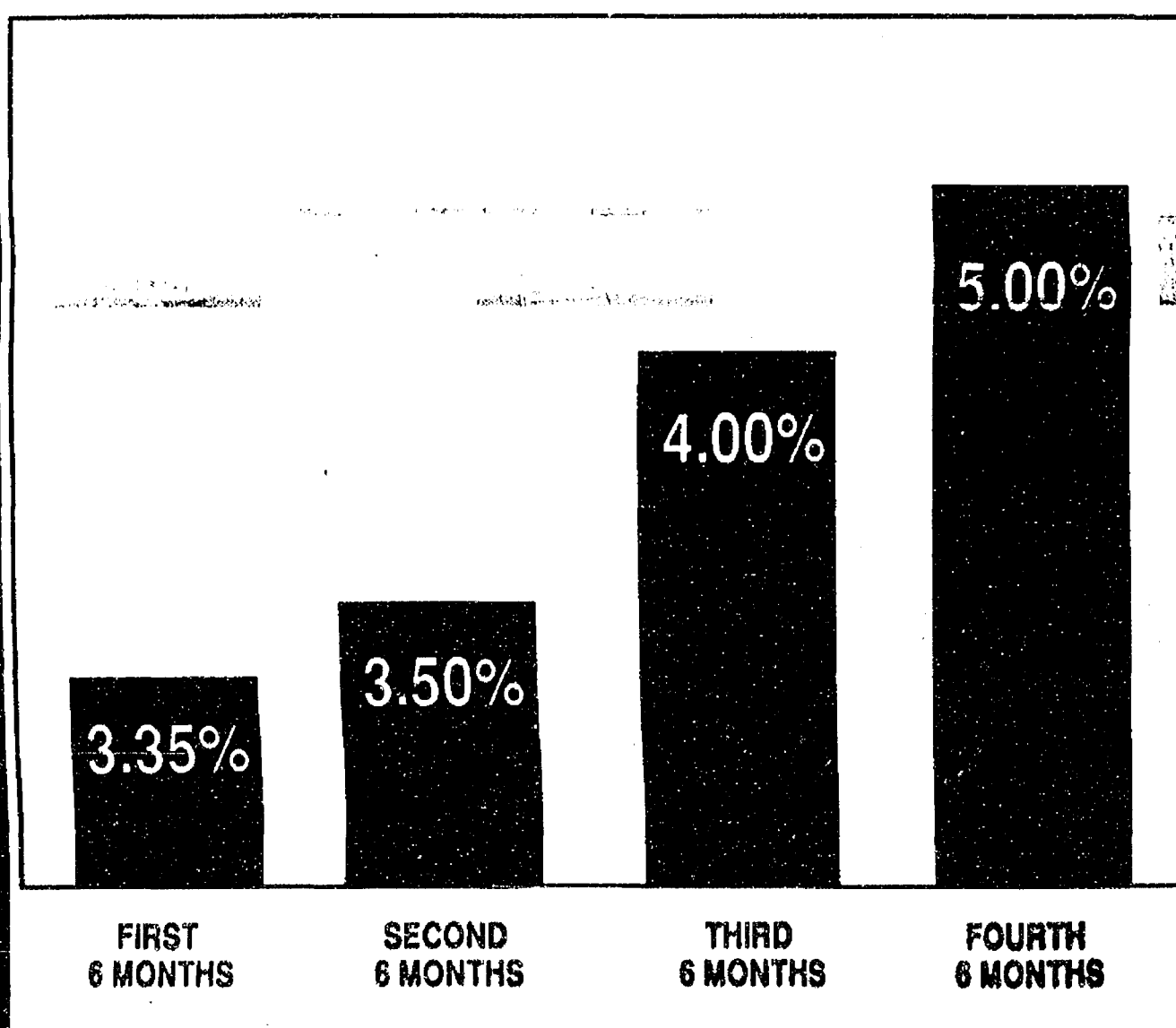
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"Ma got me a stick of wood and a knife. It was kind of fun."-Bob Hartwig on his hobby of carving

By Terry Wright

Bob Hartwig spends most evenings sitting by the picture window overlooking KP Lake. As he relaxes, he carves on a piece of basswood. He is a man of many interests, but his evenings are reserved for carving and through the years he has filled his home with his creations.

"Six or seven years ago I had a heart bypass and the doctor told me I had to relax more. Ma got me a stick of wood and a knife. It was kind of fun," Bob said.

Since then, Bob has carved hundreds of different things but now he focuses mostly on caricatures. "With caricatures, you overdo everything. If the person has a big nose, you make it bigger. You can't carve a face that somebody doesn't have."

He explained that the secret to carving is in the focus of the detail. "The detail makes it a carving. Sometimes I use no detail in one part of a carving and lots of detail in another because that's where I want people to focus on it."

Although his carvings are done strictly for fun, he occasionally takes a few to craft shows. "I sell a few. I give a few away. Sometimes I even trade a carving for something else. Usually the people just hear about them and come to the house," he said.

Bob belongs to six different carving clubs between Michigan and Florida and says that some of the best carvers in the country are right here in northern Michigan.

Bob will be one of many carvers at the Hartwig Pines State Park during the annual woodcarvers' roundup during "Sawdust Days" on July 17-18.

Burns Clinic offers pediatric specialties

Time consuming and costly journeys for families in need of special care for their children are becoming less necessary with the variety of pediatric specialty clinics offered at Burns Clinic and Northern Michigan Hospital.

Each Burns Clinic Pediatrician has particular areas of interest within their specialty and offers expertise to both patients and other physicians.

According to Burns Clinic Pediatrics Chair Marie Gardner, M.D., the department's goal is to assist in coordinating pediatric specialties in northern Michigan. This is accomplished by networking with local referring physicians and pediatric subspecialists from elsewhere.

"Our pediatricians all have an area of special interest and we want to offer their expertise to children in northern Michigan," said Gardner. "These include lead screening, endocrinology, hematology, oncology, and cystic fibrosis."

Dr. Macdonald Dick of the University of Michigan oversees a

Pediatric Cardiology Clinic offered at Burns Clinic. The clinic, offered five times a year, offers diagnostic and follow-up services for children with congenital heart disease and other cardiac disorders.

Other physicians and clinicians from the University of Michigan Department of Genetics come to Petoskey twice each year to provide on site diagnostic services and counseling for children and families with congenital illnesses.

A team of specialists, including a physician, registered nurse, dietitian, social worker, and psychologist work with patients and their families at the Apnea Clinic at the Burns Clinic/Northern Michigan Hospital complex. Director is Neonatologist David Sciamann, D.O. The purpose of the clinic is to provide follow-up for infants who have experienced apnea (the cessation of breathing).

Yet another specialty clinic is the Pediatric Orthopedic and Adaptive Equipment Clinic, a joint venture of

the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District and Northern Michigan Hospital. The monthly clinic strives to meet the special diagnostic and equipment needs of physically disabled youngsters. Clinicians involved include orthotists, physical therapists, equipment specialists, occupational therapists, orthopedic surgeons with pediatric interest and training and pediatricians.

Three hematologists/oncologists from Michigan State University travel to Petoskey to provide diagnostic and clinical expertise to children with cancer and other blood disorders. The Pediatric Hematology/Oncology Clinic at Burns Clinic was created to offer continuity of medical care for children needing these services.

The Burns Clinic Pediatric Department itself has grown over the past few years from a two- to a five-physician group; there is a doctor on call 24-hours a day. The addition of the first neonatologist in northern Michigan has also meant many patients no longer must travel far to get specialized infant care.

Dr. Gardner stresses that not only do clinic pediatricians treat patients in Petoskey, but they also journey to Gaylord three times a week and to St. Ignace every Thursday. "When you consider there are fewer than 15 pediatricians from Sault Ste. Marie to Grayling, our group is not only the largest here, we also have the ability to offer some very specialized services," she said.

Burns Clinic Pediatric Department is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. until 5 p.m., and on Saturdays from 8 a.m. until 1 p.m. To obtain an appointment, call the department at 616-348-2250.

Don't gamble: wear seat belt

On a typical Friday night, one in every ten vehicles coming toward you is aimed by a person who is legally drunk. Even if you are the world's greatest driver, there's no telling what a drunk person behind the wheel is going to do next.

Wearing a safety belt is the single most effective way to protect yourself from injury. Please don't gamble on your life. Buckle-up every time you get into your vehicle.

Boating safety to be held

A boating safety training course will be conducted by the Crawford County Sheriff Department on July 26 and 27, starting at 9 a.m. and ending at 3 p.m. Classes will be held at the Grayling Fire Department. For further information contact Crawford County Sheriff Department at 348-4616.

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English racers in '93 Marathon

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paddled a pleasure canoe from Grayling to Burton's Landing. "The scenery was very beautiful. That's about all we paid attention to the first time down," said Peter.

Both men expressed their gratitude at being in Grayling and are anxious to experience as much as they can while they are here. Peter was surprised at the size of Grayling. "The population of my home is about twice that of Grayling, but in area it's only about one-tenth as big."

They are both anxious to start learning the river and said they will be spending part of every day on the water becoming familiar with their two new canoes which were donated by a major canoe manufacturer. "The specifications that we use for C2 boats are much different than they are here," said Peter.

Of their chances for victory, Peter said, "If we finish with a respectable time, it will be a victory for us."



ENGLISH RACERS WIN TRIP TO MARATHON—Peter Jones (L) and Karl Slater pass thru Newbury enroute to their victory in the Devizes to Westminster Race. The richest canoe race in Europe included, for the pair, an all-expense paid trip to the 1993 AuSable Marathon.

DISTRICT COURT

George Gasser, 33, of Grayling, demanded a jury trial to a charge of Possession Of More Than One Wild Turkey. Jury trial held, defendant found not guilty.

Melissa Lynn Burrell, 25, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of NSF Check Under \$50, and was fined

\$155 or 14 days, restitution paid. She was cited June 19, 1991.

John Michael Quintano, 34, of Frederic, plead guilty to a charge of Unlawful Use Marijuana, and was fined \$205 or 30 days. He was cited March 29, 1993, by the State Police Dept.

Kimberly Sue Gibbs, 26, of Roscommon, plead guilty to a charge of Retail Fraud 2nd Degree, and was fined \$155 or 14 days. She was cited May 19, 1992, by the City Police Dept.

MAGISTRATE

Appearing before Magistrate Jean Callewaert:

Timothy W. Hough of Grayling, was fined \$65 for Fish Without License.

Blood bank nets 94 pints

The June 7 Crawford County Blood Bank was very successful. There were 94 pints of blood donated.

Top donor groups were: 1st place, M.A.T.E.S, tied with retirees; 2nd place, Camp Grayling; 3rd place, students.

There were two first time blood donors.

The following pins were awarded: 1 gallon, Charlotte Albers, William Harwood, Randy Black, Ralph Good, Robert Patrick, Jr.; two gallon, Catherine Herrmann, Carole Batway; 4 gallon, Bonita Chesner, Georgina Wilcox, Tom Welsh, Michelle Smith and Patricia Lugviel.

WHY DENTAL FLOSS?



by DR. STEPHEN THOMPSON

Dental plaque is the primary cause of tooth decay and gum disease. A tooth brush can help remove plaque from visible surfaces but cannot remove it from between the teeth and beneath the gum line. Unwaxed floss is most often recommended to remove plaque from these hidden areas. Here's how to use it:

Cut off about 18 inches of floss and wrap the ends around the middle fingers, leaving about two inches between the hands. Guide it with thumbs for the top teeth and index fingers for lowers. Pass the floss gently between two teeth, sliding several times to the gum and back along the side of one tooth. Repeat the flossing motion on the side of the adjacent tooth and move on until all teeth are flossed.

A word of caution: Always control the floss. Never snap the floss between two teeth as the gums may be sensitive. Use a gentle, cleansing motion. If gums bleed, you may be flossing too hard, or they may be in poor health. It makes sense to have your dentist or hygienist demonstrate the flossing method to you. It will help insure the future health of your teeth and gums.

Grayling Family Dentistry

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Local Weather

Courtesy of the City of Grayling

Date	High	Low	Rain
7/7	83	65	
7/8	84	65	0.10
7/9	83	64	0.07
7/10	85	65	0.07
7/11	84	59	
7/12	80	54	0.06
7/13	76	55	

Extended forecast courtesy of the U.S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake: There is a 70% chance of showers on Thursday, with the possibility of thunderstorms. The high will be in the low to mid 70s. Thursday through Saturday will be dry, with the high each day in the 70s and the lows primarily in the 50s.

The Avalanche

Your hometown newspaper

Top ten property owners in county

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to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the County of Crawford, Michigan, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles." The full report, as public record, can be seen at County Treasurer Joseph County of Crawford, Michigan, in Wakeley's office in the county courthouse.

Listed as the ten largest county employers were:

	No. Employed
Grayling Mercy Hospital	420
Camp Grayling	215
Weyerhaeuser	194
Crawford AuSable Schools	187
County of Crawford	140
Glen's Market	125
State of Michigan	120
Custom Forest Products	95
Kmart	81
Holiday Inn	80

Massage Therapy
Nature Sunshine Products
Enzyme Nutrition

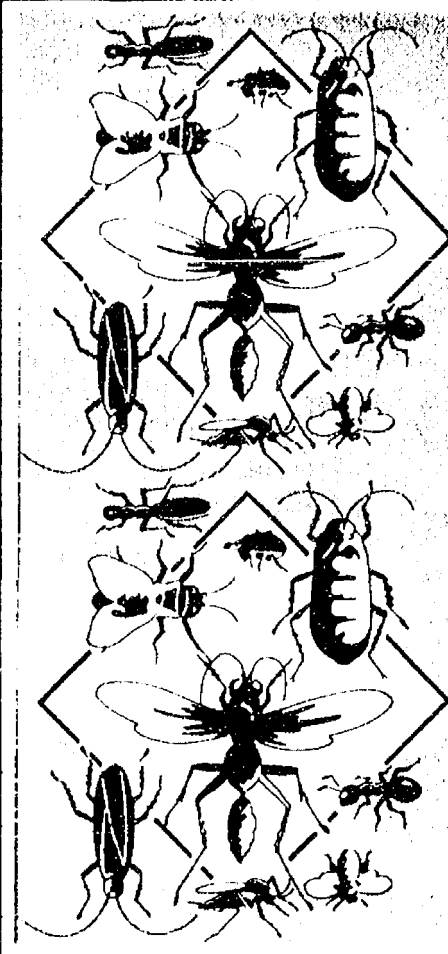
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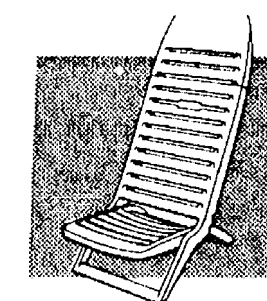
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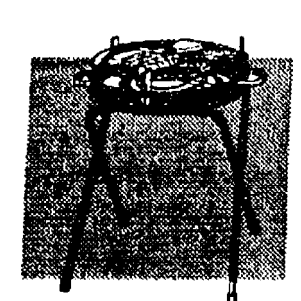
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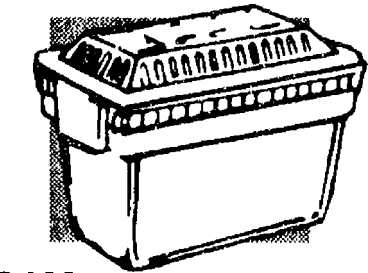
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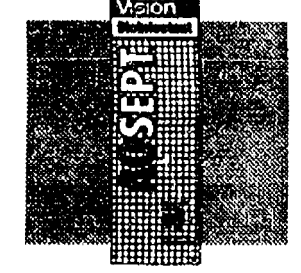
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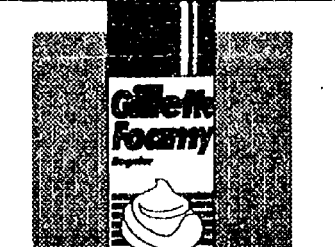
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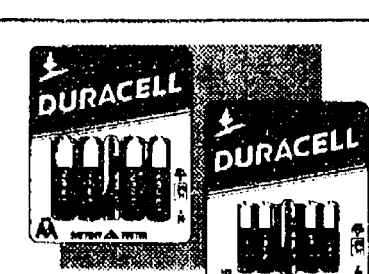
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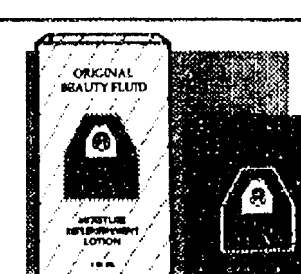
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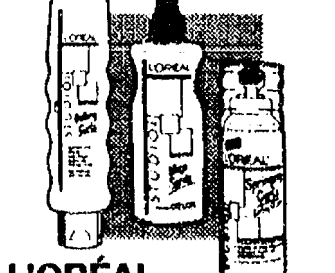
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Jail expansion doesn't follow common sense, says taxpayer

County Commissioners: The *Avalanche's* front page reads "Public hearing on jail proposal draws zero concerned citizens" and states that proper notice was put in the paper. The only notice that I found was in the June 24 paper buried on page 3 (not where proper legal notices are published) in a news report 2 X 2 1/2-inch column. I believe there are laws saying special meetings are supposed to be 4 X 4-inch boxed advertisements and run a couple of times in the legal part of the paper as Grayling Township, Frederic Township, and others do.

Your group of insiders may have known of this meeting, but it surely can't be called a public hearing without the lawful notification to the public — you really must have wanted public input. Then the paper states that you were disappointed at the turn-out. Come on now, we're not all complete idiots. If you think you can ramrod a million and a half dollar spending spree on a jail proposal without a vote of the people, either now or at your next run for office, your belligerence has surpassed your own intelligence. When you say that our jail does not comply with new state requirements, I would remind you of the "Headlee Amendment" which says that "any new requirements by the state must be paid for by the state." In short, they must, by law, pay for it.

Percentage wise, with our present 20-bed jail capacity, Crawford County has a jail larger than any county in the state on a capacity versus population basis.

The spending of \$24,000 a year to house prisoners in other jails for the past three years seems very cheap but

it's your figure. If you spend one million five hundred thousand dollars on a new jail, a cigar store Indian could make the taxpayers \$90,000 a year on interest alone. After deducting the \$24,000, Crawford County taxpayers would save \$66,000, rather than importing prisoners. And what is the income to Crawford County from our housing prisoners of surrounding counties? This income figure you don't mention, and I'm sure it hasn't been subtracted from the \$24,000 per year output, or has it?

You seem to be trying to sell or push the idea that housing prisoners from other counties is a very lucrative business, so you must be basing your sales pitch on some past figures. I would think the past three years that your quote for outgo should also state all the income to prove out your promotional propaganda, correct? Common sense economics would tell anyone with half a brain that in this case we would be better off as "exporters" rather than "importers" and our court system could handle our own load first without all the early releases, etc.

One would also think that in the propaganda the promoters are using to force this "jail on the river" idea that the report by Michigan State Ph.D. Lynn Harvey and his assistant, on the overall economic condition of Crawford County, would have been published.

You used our monies (rumored to be 1,000 to 7,000 dollars) to have two studies done, so what do they say? What are the suggestions or recommendations in the two studies of the Ph.D. you hired and/or what

was the reason for hiring him and his assistant? If you can't afford to publish this report or the minutes of your board meetings so your constituents can see how you voted or publish "proper" legal notices on special public hearings and meetings, we are sure we shouldn't be hiring architects to draw plans for a new jail no one wants.

To make the statement that the money for this jail has already been set aside for this purpose is misleading at best and I would ask, set aside by whom? You don't explain in the article where this money is from and make it appear that this money is of no concern to the taxpayer as you're not going to levy any new millage, so what! The money isn't yours to do as you see fit. It belongs to the taxpayers and citizens of this county and they should have the final say at the polls — forget your "so called" public hearings.

I'm sure you're going to argue that the state has given little old Crawford County \$300,000 toward this remodelling-expansion plot, but no one has offered to tell us what "strings" are attached to this gift (taxpayer monies). In reality I would bet the strings are ropes or chains and they'll rope us in to their dictation of who we must house and they'll be sending us prisoners from around the state and even dictate the price they'll pay to house them and a mandate of how many guards, pay scales, etc. Right? Come on now guys, let's give all the facts.

To say our jail has not complied with state requirements since 1975 is to say that there were some real screw ups in the past as I'm sure we all remember the jail being remodelled at

least four times since then. If none of these remodelling jobs were done properly, why were the tax dollars released to the contractors that did each job and why were the jobs done if they didn't bring jail to state requirements? The taxpayers have spent hundreds of thousands of dollars on our jail — didn't we get what we paid for? And who or which one of the commissioners or officials pushing for this white elephant, will sign his or her name stating only one more trustee is going to be needed to take care of twice as many prisoners and all the other claims we hear. (Maybe you can

Everyone has been looking for a follow-up about the first annual Milltown Follies production under the direction of Howard Taylor. There were two performances at the Grayling High School auditorium, June 11 and 12.

There was a chorus of about 50 senior citizens and a Rockettes line taking the stage with a rendition of the well known "42nd Street" by the Corps De Ballet Tap Dancers. Their lovely red, white and blue costumes were made by several of the ladies, who dropped everything to make sure they were ready. The camels (by a couple of the ladies) turned out beautiful. We thank you all for your efforts in helping to make their act very laughable.

The tap dancers did selections from "Oliver" in which they put their own bum outfits together from this and that. Every time they meet since the show they can't help but sing "Food, Glorious Food!" That's as far as they go, but it's just a passing memory for a moment that says, "Hi, I really had fun doing the show with you as a teammate."

Everywhere I go people talk about the two secret imported men with their stomachs made up like whistlers. Thanks, guys, for helping us; everyone loved your act.

Without the orchestra and the chorus,

reception and applause by the audience was beyond our imagination.

I cannot single out a certain person or group as being the best, because we all gave it our best shot and the show turned out a success. In the short four months we had to practice and the two week to put it together, I believe we all did one fantastic job.

I believe the director, Howard Taylor, did an excellent job of putting the Follies together. We have him to thank for giving us this chance of a life time. Many of us never dreamed we would be able to do something like this. He believed in us and told us we could do it. We are grateful to him for giving us this opportunity. Taylor said he would consider it possible to do the show again next year.

Sarah Volkenborn
Roscommon
Milltown Follies
promotion committee member

least take some time off and give my old mind a chance to regroup for at least a couple of months. Perhaps by about September I will be ready to try it again if enough people want it. If you would like to see it return please let me or the *Avalanche* know. Joe Murphy, 603 Maple St., Grayling, Michigan, 49738.

HEALTHLINE

Linda DeMarchis, M.A., Health Educator

This column is presented as a public service to the community by District Health Department No. 1 which serves, Wexford, Missaukee, Kalkaska, and Crawford counties. If you have a question you would like answered, please send it to Health Educator, District Health Department No. 1, 401 Lake St., Cadillac, Michigan, 49601.

Question: When my children are bitten or stung by insects, I never know what to do. Any suggestions that might help?

Answer: Most insect bites are a painful nuisance and not much more. Itching and redness occur because of the body's reaction to the tiny speck of venom contained in either the stinger or saliva of the insect's biting organ. The most frequently encountered stinging insects are wasps, hornets, yellow jackets, bees and even some ants. Biting insects are usually mosquitoes, fleas, flies or chiggers.

Fortunately, several over-the-counter medications are now available to relieve the bothersome itch of mosquito and other insect bites. These topical preparations are applied directly to the bite and reduce or all but eliminate the irritating itch. Most effective are lidocaine preparations (such as Skeeter Stik) but hydrocortisone,

phenol and benzocaine products also provide relief. It is best to keep these medications on hand during the summer and apply them before frequent scratching causes broken skin. Ask your pharmacist to advise you on these medications.

A stinging from a flying insect is a little more troublesome than a bite. If one occurs, first examine the skin to see if any portion of the stinger remains. If so, gently scrape the skin with the edge of a credit card to remove it. Do not squeeze the skin or grasp the stinger which might inject more venom.

Next, wash the area with soap and water and immediately apply cold compresses to reduce swelling (limit exposure to cold to one hour at a time). After 24-48 hours, cold compresses should be changed to moist hot packs if there is still discomfort.

In addition, a variety of treatments may help relieve local irritation and discomfort. These range from antihistamine products to lidocaine, hydrocortisone preparations and calamine lotion. "Home remedies" such as meat tenderizer paste, baking soda paste, onion slices, and ammonia also help and should be applied immediately under the cold compresses. If discomfort persists, a non-prescription pain reliever may help.

Some people may experience a life-

threatening allergic reaction to an insect sting. If someone you are with has severe swelling, wheezing, difficulty breathing, loss of consciousness or symptoms of shock within 30 minutes of the sting, seek emergency medical treatment immediately. Sometimes hives or a rash may develop up to several hours later which also requires medical attention. Kits containing epinephrine and other products are available for individuals with a true allergy.

The best treatment for stings and bites is preventing their occurrence:

- Keep garbage cans covered and away from play areas.
- After eating outdoors, put food away immediately and dispose of trash in distant garbage receptacles. Be especially cautious of half-empty pop cans that insects can enter, causing dangerous stings to the throat.
- Avoid bright colored clothing, perfumes and scented hairspray when hiking or picnicking, as well as open-toe shoes, sandals and bare feet.
- Use insect repellents when appropriate and keep arms and legs covered.
- If a bee approaches, don't wave arms or hit at it. Quietly retreat.

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Your views are welcome on the Opinion Page. Letters may be typed or handwritten but please double space or use every other line.

Every letter must be signed and an address or phone number should be included. Letters will not be published without the author's name.

ALMANACK

Richard Milliman

Was missile attack merited?

PRESIDENT CLINTON'S decision to launch a surprise midnight missile attack on Baghdad was heralded in most quarters as a hard-headed judgement that Saddam Hussein fully deserved.

Lots of folks thought Mr. Clinton didn't go far enough. There was an outcry from the old "bomb them into dust" crowd, which still craves Mr. Hussein's scalp, any way we can get it.

The proximate cause of the United States raid was an unsuccessful attempt to assassinate President Bush and members of his touring party back in April when the ex-president visited Kuwait.

The plot didn't work, and several Iraqis and Kuwaitis were arrested. The trail led back to Iraq's intelligence service, which Mr. Clinton believed was responsible for the whole thing. He's probably right.

IRAQ'S AN OUTLAW nation and must be punished, the President apparently decided. In a letter Speaker Tom Foley, Mr. Clinton explained the raid.

"Based on the government of Iraq's pattern of disregard for international law, I concluded that there was no reasonable prospect that new diplomatic initiatives or economic measures could influence the current government of Iraq to cease planning future attacks against the United States," Mr. Clinton wrote.

An interesting point is the general lack of public/press criticism of Mr. Clinton for bypassing economic and diplomatic sanctions as a way to bring Mr. Hussein to reality.

A couple of years ago, Mr. Bush was harshly criticized by international doves for his military action against Iraq; economic and diplomatic sanctions were not exhausted, they claimed, and military action was inappropriate until they were.

But there's been no such widespread concern expressed this time.

WAS PRESIDENT CLINTON justified in unleashing missiles into the night to bomb Iraq's intelligence headquarters, even with loss of civilian life and non-military destruction?

The American people apparently believe so. Polls right after the missile raid boosted Mr. Clinton's positive rating by 11 points.

There's nothing like strong military action to boost a politician in the public mind. Right after Desert Storm, Mr. Bush zoomed to the stratosphere in the polls — temporarily, of course.

There's nothing to suggest that domestic politics had anything to do with Mr. Clinton's decision; but the fact is that any public action by any president has a political fallout. That happened here.

TO THIS UNSOPHISTICATED observer, the raid on Baghdad is strangely unsettling and bothersome. There was no warning, no public discussion, no "or else" type of

diplomatic negotiating, no attempt at international consensus beforehand. The United Nations heard an after-the-fact explanation. Mr. Clinton kept his own counsel and acted alone.

The midnight missiles were a surprise — which, of course, was part of Mr. Clinton's message to Saddam Hussein. You're not safe, Mr. Clinton seemed to be saying to Iraq; bad things can happen at any moment.

The comparisons are not precise, of course, and fifty years ago the stakes were much higher, but this was the same message the Nazis sent with their buzz bombs and rockets to Great Britain in World War II, and the Japanese sent to the United States at Pearl Harbor.

The victims did not cower then, and likely will not cower now.

The Clinton message is not likely to dissuade Saddam Hussein from further evil acts. It might even strengthen him at home, and encourage more international adventuring.

Mr. Hussein has a home audience to please, too.

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Local resident to perform in Nashville

Crawford County resident Stacey Michelle Rosin-Gay is starbound. On June 14th, Rosin-Gay auditioned for a talent scout from Don Reed Production-Promotion Company out of Nashville and received very high marks for her singing performance.

Thanks to her audition, Rosin-Gay will be on the road to Nashville at the end of July for a competition called "Starbound '93," where many major recording labels will be represented. She has also been selected for Starborne Jamboree at the Grand Ole

Opry in September, and a television show called "Nashville's Newest." She also has received an invitation to perform a solo at the lighting of the Christmas tree pageant at the White House in Washington, D.C.

Rosin-Gay is a 1988 graduate of Grayling High School. She started singing at six in church and was active in school theatre from the age of ten. Rosin-Gay was 1st runner up and tied for the talent award in the 1988 Miss Grayling Pageant. She spent the summer and fall of 1989 singing with

a branch of the Young Americans. Rosin-Gay has been busy performing at area fairs, local talent competitions and Gaylord Arts Council productions.

"I'm very excited about my upcoming adventures," said Rosin-Gay. "I'm so thankful for all the opportunities I've been given. I have a great support group within my family and friends. We'll just have to wait and see what lies ahead."

She is still in search of sponsors.



Stacey Rosin-Gay

Well-known jazz group to perform

The Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church will enjoy the wonderful sounds of music from The Original AuSable River Dixieland Jazz Band at the 11 a.m. worship service on July 25.

GRA hosts dance

The Grayling Recreation Authority is hosting a middle school summer dance on Friday, July 16, from 7 to 10 p.m. in the Archery Building at the Hanson Hills Recreation Area. The fee will be \$3 per person. Concessions will be available.

Come and dance, socialize with your friends and enjoy the summer.

For more information, call the Grayling Recreation Authority at 348-9266.



CONSUMERS POWER DONATES—Tom O'Brien, area manager for Consumers Power, presents a \$500 check to Gerry Schroeder, director of the Crawford County Community Christian Help Center. The donation will buy food for the Help Center. "This is another way Consumers Power tries to help people in the area we serve," said O'Brien.

Help center to sponsor shopping class

Grocery shopping can sometimes be a challenge. In today's market, it's always best to know how to get the most for your food dollar.

This topic will be explored during a special class on Thursday, July 22, at 1 p.m. at the Crawford County Community Christian Help Center at 306 James Street. Registered Dietitian Cheryl Melroy will lead the discussion on wise shopping choices. There is no fee for the class and a question and answer session will be held following Melroy's presentation.

Learn how to spend your dollars and food stamps in a better way. Call to register at 348-6046 or just come. For more information, contact Gerry Schroeder, coordinator.

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WEEKLY SYNDICATED COLUMN BY PERCY ROSS

Millionaire Percy Ross is known for his philanthropic work. He offers help and encouragement for those in need. He has earned a fortune and a wealth of knowledge during his lifetime and wants to share both. His motto: "He who gives while he lives . . . also knows where it goes"

Collectively, small checks make a difference

Dear Mr. Ross: I recently read your column in which you were seeking donations for the Lubavitch Cheder Day School. Kudos to you for the mitzvah, but alarm bells rang in my head when you referred to "the affluent Jewish community" and their lack of response. How do you know which donors were Jewish? Do we have Jewish names? Is Ross a Jewish name? Not really. And how do you know which people who contributed were of wealth? Did they enclose their tax returns as well? Your comment only tends to perpetuate the deadly stereotype of the Jew being a person of wealth. Mr. A. B. . . Boca Raton, FL

Dear Mr. B.: It was an underhanded jab for me to say the affluent Jewish community hadn't come through as I had hoped for when I sought donations for the needy Lubavitch school.

The sad truth is, if they did contribute, they did it in dribs and drabs. Am I to be faulted for wishing for a windfall? No. Am I grateful for the donations received? Undeniably so. At last count, the school now has enough funds to open the doors this fall. To all who contributed, rich and poor, Jewish and non-Jewish, thank you for sharing with those less fortunate.

Dear Mr. Ross: I'm so ashamed of myself. I feel like the biggest fool who has ever written you. Four months ago I got married to a man who I should never have even dated. It was a quick romance and we married a month later, against everyone's wishes who knew me. It turns out "Harry" was a cheat and a drunk. Three weeks later I caught him in bed with our landlady's daughter. He said he was drunk and was just trying to get a rent reduction! I wanted to believe him—tried to believe him, until it happened again 4 days later. We've been separated ever since. I need to go on with my life which means getting a divorce.

Write Percy Ross, P.O. Box 39000-B, Minneapolis, MN 55439. Include your phone number and name of this publication. All letters are read. Only a few are answered in this column; others may be acknowledged privately.

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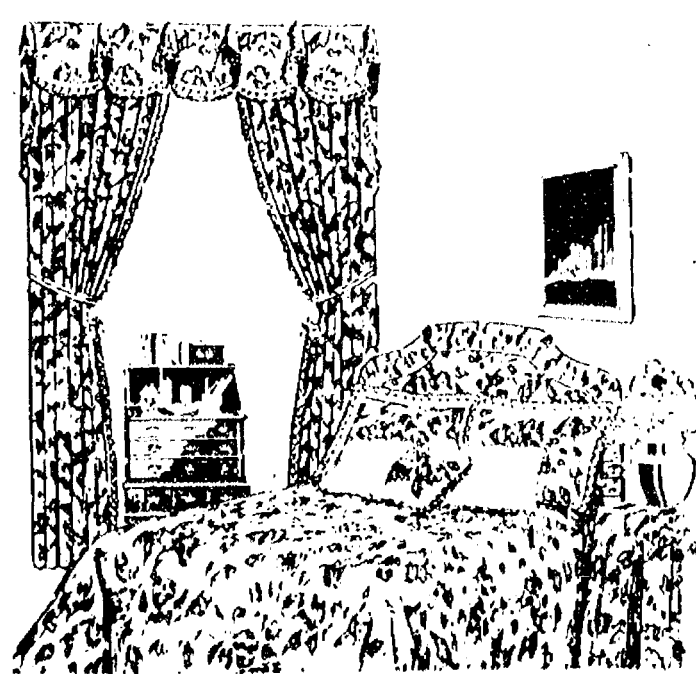
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HOSPICE GRADUATES--Ten volunteers recently graduated from Hospice with Loving Care's training program, which serves the terminally ill in both Roscommon and Crawford counties. The graduation ceremony took place on Wednesday, May 26, at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Roscommon. Each graduate completed 15 hours of classroom study plus six hours of practical training gained through the cooperation of Hilltop Nursing Home in Roscommon and the Steuermol McLaren Funeral Home in Roscommon. The Hospice volunteer provides a variety of support services to the patient, the patient's family, and the primary care person. Hospice is a non-profit organization using volunteers at all levels. Pictured above: (front) Holly Mueller, staff social worker and volunteer coordinator; Janet Judson; Laurel Gardey; Bud Price; Aimee Dustman, Hospice executive director; Sandra Jackson; and Elva Lovell, staff office manager; (back) Tom Sucaet, Bill Campbell, Robert Sundelius, Christine Sundelius and Gene Koerner.

Volunteers are always needed to work with terminally ill patients and for office work and fundraising. Anyone interested in additional information should call Sandra Jackson at 275-8967.

A.A.R.P. to hold annual picnic

The Crawford County chapter of the A.A.R.P. #1681, will hold its annual potluck picnic at the home of John and Helen Leykauf on Monday, July 19.

Ralph Case, state officer from Saginaw, is coming to help work out some of its problems concerning the

future of the chapter.

All members, past and present, and any other persons interested in A.A.R.P. are urged to attend. Bring your own service and a dish to pass -- and some friends too. The chapter will furnish the meat and beverages. John Leykauf will meet the group at 12 noon at the Senior Citizen Center at 103 Lawndale to escort them to his home.

For further information, call 348-5240.

Baptist Church hosts vacation Bible school

A daily vacation Bible school will be held at the First Baptist Church in Frederic, July 19 through 23, for kindergarten through the 6th grade, from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

On Sunday, July 18, at the evening service at 6 p.m. one of the church's missionaries, Sigstad from Nigeria, will be present. It is also a chance to meet the new pastor, Dale Hammond, and his wife, Judy, their family and his father.

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Youth Canoe races set for July 23

Carlisle Canoe Livery will again sponsor the annual Youth Canoe Race on Friday, July 23, at 10 a.m., the day before the AuSable River Canoe Marathon, to give area youngsters their chance to race in a shortened version of the Marathon.

Carlisle Canoes will allow the participants to use Carlisle canoes for practice runs at no charge, on weekdays only. The participants are responsible for their own pick-up of the canoes used for practice runs. If requested, Carlisle Canoes will make pick-ups for a minimal charge.

Permission slips, which must be signed by a parent or guardian to be in the race, can be picked up at Carlisle Canoe Livery, 110 State Street, Grayling.

Seventeen-foot aluminum canoes will be used for the race. Paddles are to be no more than eight inches in width. The standard Carlisle paddle

and most wooden paddles are the right size. No bent-shaft/spoon-blade paddles will be allowed.

There will be three age groups for boys. Both the 11-12 year-old and the 12-13 year-old groups will race ten miles to Louie's Landing. The 15-17 year-old group will race 17 miles to Stephan Bridge. The girls' division will race to Louie's Landing. Trophies will be awarded to the winners of each age group.

The canoe race will begin at the Carlisle Canoe Livery at the State Street Bridge promptly at 10 a.m. Participants should be at the livery by 9:30 a.m. for pre-race instructions, which will include race rules, and to select their canoes.

For more information, contact John and Myrna Cammin at Carlisle Canoe Livery, 110 State Street, Grayling, 49738, or call (517) 348-2301.

BOBENMOYER SWEARS IN BOBENMOYER--Sr. A. Paul L. Bobenmoyer celebrated his 25th birthday on July 6 by having his brother, Lt. Col. Keith Bobenmoyer, swear him in for a six-year term in the United States Air Force, as their brother, Sgt. David Bobenmoyer, watches. Paul, stationed at Little Rock Air Force Base in Arkansas, just finished a four-year term. Keith is the superintendent at M.A.T.E.S. and David is employed at Camp Grayling. Also present at the swearing-in ceremony were Paul's wife, Becky, and parents, Don and Elaine Bobenmoyer.

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FRI. 16	•VISIT THE CRAWFORD COUNTY Historical Museum, 10 am - 4 pm. See a railroad caboose, a military display, a trapper's cabin, and much more!
SAT. 17	•HARTWICK PINES State Park "Sawdust Days", 10 am - 4 pm. State park sticker required for entry. For information call 348-7068. •ENJOY AN OUTING at the Grayling Fish Hatchery - over 40,000 trout to feed! Fish food available for a small donation.
SUN. 18	•2ND DAY OF Hartwick Pines State Park "Sawdust Days". •COA SUNDAY POTLUCK, 4 pm - call 348-7123 for more information.
MON. 19	•KIWANIS LUNCHEON MEETING @ 12:10, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. •AMERICAN ASSOCIATION of Retired Persons meeting @ COA office, 1:30 pm.
TUES. 20	•SOCIAL SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE @ county building, 10:30 am - 2 pm. •GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL Association luncheon meeting @ noon, Copper Kettle Steak House & Lounge. •AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S association dinner meeting @ 6:30 pm, Holiday Inn. New members welcome! •CONCERNED CITIZENS for Animals meeting @ Abundant Life Tabernacle Church, 7 pm. For more information call 348-4117.
WED. 21	•FIRST DAY OF CRAWFORD COUNTY FAIR - exhibits open @ noon, carnival runs noon-midnight; one fee pays all. •LITTLE MISS CRAWFORD COUNTY talent contest @ fairgrounds, 7 pm. \$1 entrance fee. •ROTARY LUNCHEON MEETING @ noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. •WEIGHT WATCHER'S MEETING @ St. Francis Episcopal Church on M-72 West; weigh-in 4:45 pm, meeting 5:30 pm. •LIONS CLUB MEETING @ Iron Gate Restaurant, 6:30 pm. •COA Phyllis Brummer will be on hand 9-11:30 am to help Seniors with Medicare & Medicaid problems, or call 348-7123. •GRAYLING RECREATION AUTHORITY meeting @ Grayling Township Hall, 5 pm.

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PAGE SCHOOL

Thursday, July 10, 1993

Dice to perform in Europe with Michigan Ambassadors of Music

Gretchen Dice, a 1993 Grayling High School graduate, was selected to perform in the Michigan Ambassadors of Music ensemble on its annual two-week tour of Europe in July.

The ensemble, under the direction of John Campbell, director of bands of Traverse City High School, was open to high school students who had been chosen for their district honors bands.

The group rehearsed on May 24 at TCHS and will have two more rehearsals on July 13 and 14.

The musicians fly out of Detroit on July 15 and land in London, England, the following day. They will visit and perform in France, Switzerland, Austria, Italy and Germany. On day 16, they fly out of Frankfurt.

"It's an experience of a lifetime, just to see another part of the world that not many people my age get to see," she said. "It will be interesting performing for the different cultures."

Dice, the daughter of George and Janet Dice of Grayling, has been active in music since she began private study of the piano at age three. She

joined the band in 5th grade.

She plans to attend Northern Michigan University where she will major in speech therapy and minor in elementary instrumental music education.

Dice has been a member of the concert, marching, pep and jazz bands throughout high school.

In her freshman year, she was selected to perform in the District II honors band. She also earned I (highest) ratings on both oboe and piano solos at the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association (M.S.B.O.A.) district and state solo/ensembles competitions.

In her sophomore year, she was selected again for the District II honors band, as well as the state honors band. She again earned I ratings, on both oboe and piano solos at proficiency level 1, at the district and state levels of solo/ensemble.

In her junior year, she was a member of the state honors band again. Her

oboe and piano solos again rated Is at the district and state solo/ensemble competitions, proficiency level 2.

In her senior year, she performed in the District II honors band and was second chair in the oboe section in the state honors orchestra. She earned Is on oboe and piano solos at the district solo/ensemble and a I at proficiency level 3 in her oboe solo at the state competition.



Gretchen Dice



TREE DEDICATION--A large circle of family members, friends and Grayling High School staff members gathered on the front lawn of the high school on May 11 to dedicate a red maple tree to the memory of Matthew VanSickle, who died last August in a garage fire. Sis Emmons of Grayling donated the tree for the ceremony, which was led by Rev. Derik Roy of St. Francis Episcopal Church.

"The tree was my way of hopefully helping people release their grief and leave good memories," said Emmons. "It was a tribute to Matt, but also a symbol of love for all children who have passed on. We can look at it forever and they won't be forgotten. It is nice to see a living tribute to the fact that somebody loved somebody else."

The memorial ceremony, held in the morning before the school day began, was coordinated by GHS Principal Carl Naghtin and Assistant Superintendent Paul Lerg.

VanSickle would have been a junior at GHS this past year.



STOCK MARKET GAME WINNERS--Grayling High School junior Cory Neilson and sophomore Heidi Smock (front) won 1st place in their respective Consumer Math classes for outstanding performances in a stock market game. Sophomores Craig Tunstalle and Nicole Pelton (back) were runners-up. Each student started with a hypothetical \$1,000. After ten weeks of trading, the persons who made the most money were declared the winners. Neilson and Smock received savings bonds, and Tunstalle and Pelton won gift certificates to Subway. The stock market simulation was designed and administered by Barbara Febey, GHS mathematics instructor.



ATTENDS MEDICAL INSTITUTE--Grayling High School sophomore Brian Dunckley (left) was one of 25 students selected to attend a summer institute entitled "Medicine and High Technologies: Exploring the Life Cycle," at Western Michigan University, June 20-26. The institute gave participants a multidisciplinary view of health care in the areas of diagnostics, prevention and rehabilitation. With him is William Klinger, GHS counselor. Dunckley is the son of Chris and LeeAnn Dunckley of Grayling.



ATTEND CONVENTION--Grayling High School freshman Mandy McEvers, junior Jamie McKinney, sophomore Kim Haske and sophomore Mandy Duvall attended the state convention of the Michigan Association of Student Councils, held April 15-16, at the Amway Grand in Grand Rapids. The four were accompanied by high school teacher Angela Anderson. While there, they worked on leadership programs that could be implemented in the Crawford AuSable School District, said Maureen Nowak, student council adviser at GHS.



EROSION STUDY WINNERS--(front) Erica Hinkle, Nick Schreiner, Joni St. Clair, Tim Febey, Andy Perrin, Ron Silk, Andy Ignash; (back) Michael Wieland, Carrie Hubbard, Bridget Black, Mary Beth Blaine, Nicole Monks, Jeff Hoffman, Nicole Millikin, Martin Kroell, Jeff Klee.



DOING TIME--Children in the Crawford AuSable Day Care's "Big Kids Program" try out a cell at the Crawford County Sheriff Department.

GHS Spanish students win awards at two spring foreign language days

Grayling High School Spanish students won honors in two foreign language days this spring.

Junior Melanie Ross, a third-year student, won 2nd place at Central Michigan University and earned a I (highest) rating at Interlochen Arts Academy (in an event sponsored by the Northwestern Michigan Foreign Language Teachers Association) in song competition with "Via dolorosa."

A salsa/merengue dance choreographed by junior Mande Mccek and senior foreign exchange student Natalia Villalobos and performed by second-year students earned a I rating. Dancers included junior Kris Andersen, junior Jeremiah Blaauw, sophomore Brian Dunckley, sophomore Sarah Furst, junior Heather Guzman, sophomore Shane Hinkle, sophomore Scott Longendyke, junior Suzan

Lovely, junior Darcie McCurdy, Mcek, sophomore Pete Radzwion and sophomore Carrie Wells.

At Interlochen, third-year students earned a I in the skit competition with "Cenicienta." Cast members included juniors Kate Callewaert, Jaime Vendeville, Stacey Austin, Bethany Schreiner, Julie Gingerick, Andy Creps, Ben Cook and Paul Hartman and seniors Patty Puls and Villalobos. They were assisted by the students who competed in the dance competition and freshman Jennifer Richardson, a first-year student.

The third-year class also competed at CMU, with juniors Lisa Richie and Heidi Goeckerman in the cast. They were assisted by Furst, Guzman, Lovely, McCurdy, Wells, Hinkle, Longendyke and sophomores Chris

Jones and Nick Stancil.

Freshman Sean Casey took 2nd place in the Spanish I vocabulary bee competition.

Freshman Kathy Crowell and sophomore Bryan Bearss also competed in the second-year division.

Two displays—one by fourth-year students Beth Bobenmoyer, Sara Bobenmoyer, Sarah Neal, Laura Renon and Tammy Romain and another by second-year students Jenny Noeske and Melissa Wakeley and Ross—earned Is at IAA in the display competition. The fourth-year students also entered the display competition at CMU.

The students competed at CMU under Spanish instructor Nancy Lemmen and at Interlochen under Lemmen and instructor Nona Brigham.



WINNING SINGER--Junior Melanie Ross performs the Spanish song that earned her 2nd place at Central Michigan University Foreign Language Day and a I (highest award) at Interlochen Arts Academy.

Property owners provide prizes for erosion studies

The AuSable River Property Owners Association again provided funding for prizes for winning erosion projects completed for Grayling High School Environmental Science classes this spring.

Over 100 students in Michael Wieland's Environmental Science classes were given erosion study assignments. They were to identify a type of erosion and its cause, and then describe various techniques to solve the problem.

"Maps and drawings of the site taught township, section and range techniques so that maps of the sites could be accurate to a 10-acre plot," said Wieland. "Most sites are in Crawford County and include river, lake and forest problems. Erosion by water, wind, people and ORVs were all featured by students."

The top paper writers split the \$250 prize money, and several projects were on display at the July 2 annual meeting of the association at the Holiday Inn.



CMU FOREIGN LANGUAGE DAY--Grayling High School Spanish students gather in Rose Arena at Central Michigan University for the awards ceremony at Foreign Language Day this spring.

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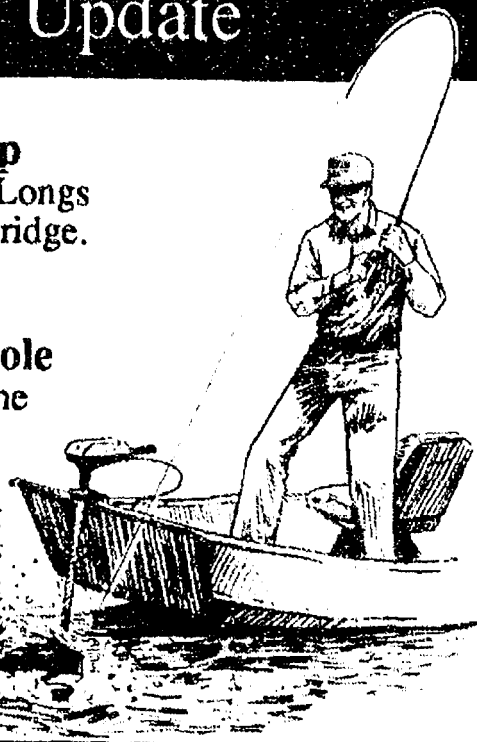
Hunting & Fishing Weekly Update

This Week's Fishing Tip

Hex flies - Upper Manistee, Longs Landing north to Cameron Bridge. Grasshoppers are starting on all rivers in the afternoon.

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COMMISSION ON AGING

By Jan Farley

Congratulations to our new King and Queen — Clyde and Etta Nash; and three cheers for our new Duke and Duchess, Virginia and Willard Bowling. They were all crowned at the Coronation Ball last Wednesday and were toasted in mock champagne.

We will be having a monthly Sunday Brunch on each second Sunday of the month. We hope it will continue to be a smashing success. The hours will be 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and the suggested donation is \$1.50 for seniors and \$2.50 for juniors.

The Senior Citizen dining room is, "Where the elite meet t'eat!" For a donation of \$1.50 per meal for seniors and a cost of \$2.50 for those under 60, you can get the best deal in town on a delicious meal. Reservations are needed (348-7123), but if you find yourself in town and want to stop in, please feel free to enjoy our meals at any time; we can always feed you.

Congregate meals are served at 12 noon and five o'clock, Monday through Thursday and at noon on Fridays. Menus are subject to change and are listed as Lunch/Dinner:

July 14-Chicken & Biscuits/Meatballs;
July 15-Hot Beef Sandwich/BBQ

Pork;
July 16-Pot Roast;
July 19-Veal Birds/Beef Chop Suey;
July 20-Creamed Chicken/Pork Cutlets;
July 21-Beef Stew/Ham Loaf;
July 22-Pork Steak/Meatloaf;
July 23-Roast Chicken.

Coming Events

Mark your calendars for:
July 16-Legal help at 1:30.
July 18-Sunday potluck at 4 p.m. Bring a dish to pass and your table service.

Ice Cream Social on July 22—Uptown (in the GSB parking lot from 4 to 7 p.m. and at the Center from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., dancing with Tina afterward.

July 23 and 24 the Senior Center is sponsoring a sausage dog sale at Glen's from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

There is a white elephant auction on Friday, July 23, at the Center, right after lunch. Bring yours in and buy someone else's.

Crafts every Tuesday morning at 10 a.m., bring your own to do or learn something new to do with the gang.

Thursdays-12:30 p.m. Videos and the new "Game Club" at 1 p.m.

'Silent killer' sends message to women

High blood pressure may be the "silent killer," but it speaks volumes about its danger to women:

•If you're taking oral contraceptive pills, you increase your chances of high blood pressure. This is dose-dependent, but it is true if you're overweight, have had high blood pressure during pregnancy or you have another condition such as mild kidney disease.

•If you're pregnant, high blood pressure can develop rapidly in the last three months of pregnancy. And that's a danger to both mother and baby.

•If you're postmenopausal, your chance of having high blood pressure becomes greater than a man's as you age. This is true even if you've had normal blood pressure most of your life.

The disease with no known symptoms is even more prevalent and serious among black women. And if you're overweight, or your parents and other close blood relatives had the disease, there's a good chance you may have it, too.

That's why it's smart to take a simple and quick blood pressure check at least every two years if your pressure is normal (140/90), says the American Heart Association.

Blood pressure is the force your heart exerts when it pumps blood into your arteries and through your circulatory system. If pressure in your blood vessels is 140 millimeters of mercury/90 millimeters of mercury or higher in at least two tests, you have high blood pressure, also called hypertension.

The disorder occurs when the tiny blood vessels called arterioles constrict and blood can't easily flow through them. Your heart then has to work harder. That can cause your heart to enlarge and in time become weaker. It can also damage your brain, eyes and kidneys. And it increases your chances of heart attack and stroke.

If you have high blood pressure, don't panic. It's treatable. Your doctor may suggest you lose weight, exercise regularly and limit your salt intake. You may also have to take medicine.

Send your own message to the "silent killer" — woman or man. Check for and treat high blood pressure. Contact your local American Heart Association or call 1-800-AHA-USA1 (1-800-242-8721).

Retired Senior Volunteer Program Annual Recognition Dinner



RSVP HONORED--RSVP
Director Bonnie Vogel accepts a plaque honoring the local program for 20 years of service from Rep. Allen Lowe.



LONGTIME VOLUNTEER--
RSVP volunteer Agnes Nelson receives a plaque from Bonnie Vogel, RSVP director, in honor of 20 years of service.



20 YEARS OF SERVICE--
Elmer Fenton, an RSVP volunteer for 20 years is honored at the annual recognition banquet on June 26.



VOLUNTEER HONORED--
Ruth Caid is one of seven RSVP volunteers honored at the annual recognition banquet for their 20 years of service.



ACCEPTS HONOR--Elsie
Larson accepts a 20-year plaque from Rep. Allen Lowe. Phyllis Walker and Edith Maki were also honored for 20 years of service to RSVP.



20 YEARS A VOLUNTEER--Ernie Larson
receives a plaque from Rep. Allen Lowe in honor of his 20 years as an RSVP volunteer.

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OBITUARIES

Walter Nowak

Walter A. Nowak, 79, of Grayling, died Thursday, July 8, 1993, at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Mass of Christian burial was held Monday, July 12, 1993, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Grayling, with the Reverend James Kendziorz officiating. Interment will be at the Holy Cross Cemetery, Alpena.

Mr. Nowak was born October 11, 1913, in Alpena. Prior to 1953, he operated a family clothing business in Alpena with his brother, Edward. From 1953 to 1955 he was a radio sports announcer for the Paul Bunyon Network on Channels 7 & 4, covering all outdoor events in Michigan, northern Ohio and Indiana, for Drewery's Ltd. of South Bend, Indiana. In 1959 he was the National Trout King at Kalkaska. Mr. Nowak moved to Mt. Pleasant in August 1959, and continued to work for Drewery's in public relations through 1963.

Mr. Nowak was executive director for the Chamber of Commerce in Mt. Pleasant in 1965, and also for the Chamber of Commerce in Owosso in 1968. In 1974 he was administrator of Shiawassee County Medical Care Facility. In 1977 he was the executive director for the Chamber of Commerce in Grayling, where he continued to work after his retirement. He retired in 1991, as foundation director of Kirtland Community College, Roscommon, where he remained a board member of the Kirtland Foundation.

Mr. Nowak was past president of Organization Executives of Michigan; past board member of Michigan Chamber Executives; third degree and fourth degree Knight for the Knights of Columbus, Fr. Reiss Council 1982; board member of the East Michigan Tourist Council Beaver Club; past chairman of Valley Area Agency on Aging for Genesee, Lapeer, and Shiawassee counties and City of Flint; and was a member of the Grayling Rotary Club, Grayling Booster Club, and the Grayling Country Club.

Mr. Nowak was also a board member for Crawford County E.D.C. He organized E.D.C. for Crawford County, and represented Crawford County on NEMCOG. He also represented Crawford County on Manpower Consortium and P.I.C. Council and was chairperson of P.I.C. In 1991, he was honored at the Hall of Fame Banquet in Alpena as sports booster.

Mr. Nowak was preceded in death by his parents, Anthony and Julia (Weisel) Nowak, and brothers, Edward, Julius and Chester Nowak.

Survivors include: wife, Martha J. Nowak of Grayling; daughter, Julia Nowak Mullet of Grayling; sons Patrick Nowak of Ann Arbor and William Nowak of Holland, Michigan; brother, David Nowak of Alpena; sisters, Esther Killoran of New Port Richey, Florida, Lillian Fox of Alpena, Virginia McDonald of Hillman, and Lucille O'Neill of Alpena; eight grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

The family suggest memorials to the St. Mary's Improvement Fund, Kirtland Foundation, or the American Cancer Society.

Cards of thanks

I would like to thank the Frederic Fire Department for being there in my hour of need Friday night, and to the lady who came over to see if I was alright. My thanks to all of you and may God bless you all.

Sincerely,
Melissa Rose

Delta Garver

Delta P. Garver, 76, of Frederic, died Tuesday, July 6, 1993, at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Funeral services were held Friday, July 9, 1993, at First Baptist Church, Frederic, with Pastor Dale Hammond officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery, Frederic.

Mrs. Garver was born March 17, 1917, in Frederic. She was a twenty-year resident of Frederic, moving there from Dearborn Heights. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church in Frederic.

Mrs. Garver was preceded in death by her husband, Chester, in 1965, and by her parents, Otis and Alice (Johnson) Weaver.

Survivors include: daughter, Beverly Targac of Dearborn Heights; son, Robert Garver of Belleville; sister, Ruby Alma and Alma Mitchell, both of Frederic; brothers, Raymond Weaver, Donald Weaver, Richard Weaver and Robert Weaver, all of Frederic; six grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Margaret Morse

Margaret E. Morse, 84, of Glennie, died Wednesday, July 7, 1993, at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Funeral services were held Monday, July 12, 1993, at Glennie United Methodist Church, Glennie, with Pastor George H. Morse officiating.

Mrs. Morse was born May 29, 1909, in Chicago, Illinois. She moved to Glennie two months ago to be near her son, George. Prior to that time she had been a resident of Grayling for fourteen years, and a previous resident of Lansing. She was employed by the State of Michigan for twenty-eight years, first as assistant comptroller for the Department of Agriculture, and then as committee clerk for the State House of Representatives.

Mrs. Morse was preceded in death by her parents, Samuel and Bertha (Winter) Bellamy.

Survivors include: son, Pastor George and wife, Lorna Morse of Glennie; six grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

In appreciation

We would like to extend our sincere appreciation to our many friends and neighbors, fellow workers (both ours and Clyde's) and county officials, for their heartfelt expressions of sympathy, tangible and intangible contributions, and the great many kindnesses shown during our recent loss.

We are mindful of the fast and professional efforts of the E.M.S. and hospital personnel and thank them for their compassion.

Although nothing can erase our sense of loss, there is great peace in knowing so many share the emotional burden with us.

May God bless you, each and all.
Doris Anthony and Family

Starks wins

Lions drawings

The Lions Club Lucky 13 drawing winner is Dan Starks, who won on Friday, July 9.

Boyne City band to march in River Festival Parade

Melissa Wakeley, drum major with the Grayling Viking Band, will act as a student host to the Boyne City Band when they come to Grayling to participate in the AuSable River Festival Parade.

This is the first year the festival has been fortunate enough to have high school bands from other areas in the parade and the parade committee wants them to feel welcome.

Wakeley will give the band members a tour of Grayling and be their guide to other activities during the day.

The Boyne City band went to Toronto, Canada, in 1991, and received an "excellent" award. They have received a II at the M.S.B.O.A. competition for the past three years.

FOX RUN GOLF NEWS

By Dick Spenny

Fox Run's Tuesday couples league ended its first half of play with a fun night and barbecue provided by the club owner, Jerry DeWitt.

First flight champions Gordy and Linda Mott downed the Ledermans in a key position night match. Randy and Margo Richardson fired a combined net 66 to ice the first stanza championship in flight two. Runnersup Randy and Michelle Stuck trailed by 5.5. Gordon and Mary Koch ruled in flight three over Ray and Donna Leutz.

Low scores in the final matches included Tom Coors, Jim Lederman and Todd Jansen all at Gross 41. Lou Spenny and Barb Barnhart tied at 46 for ladies honors. Randy Richardson's net 32 led all players in the league.

The men's Wednesday league played an interesting mid-summer tournament in a Scotch ball format with gift certificates going to 1st and 2nd place in each flight. Jeff Nester and Roger Wagner combined for a 38 to lead all teams. Jim Savage and Tim Hart managed to record a 39 for third flight honors while Todd Jansen and George Kehoe led flight two with a 43. Steve Ament and Ralph Deslover rounded out the field with a 52 in flight four.

The Fox Run ladies brought their season's first half to a close as they saw Mary Alice McKindles and Sue Murphy run away with the championship. Their margin of victory was 11.5 points in the first flight. Vicki Borchers and Carolyn Jones reigned in flight two but by a much slimmer margin of three points. Barb Gaylor and Camilla DeWitt claimed the third flight's crown by a slim 2.5 points.

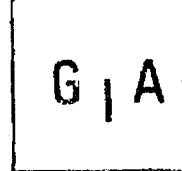
Jackie Tindall and Andrea Nygard captured low net honors with a fine score of 33, while Shirley Griffin

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Darci, 10, Kyle, 6-Phil & Pati Trudgeon.



Alex, 6, Richard (Rocky), 3-P. J. and Katy McNamara.



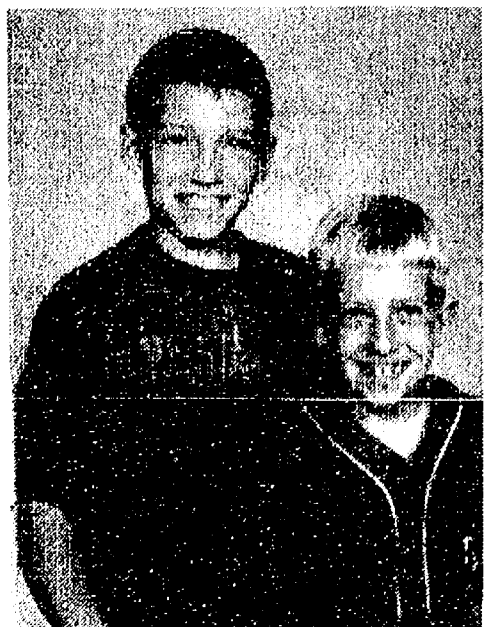
Whitney, 4-Matt & Kindra Keir.



April, 20 months-Fred & Sally Korneli.



Tabitha, 10-Jack & Sherry Harney.



Travis, 11 1/2, Tyler, 8-Chuck & Karen Huber.



Mara LaPradd, 3-Dawn Wakeley & Dave LaPradd.



Ashley, 8, Kara, 5-Rick & Sue Longendyke.



Brooke, 11, Matt, 10-Mark & Julie Ginther.



Heather Huber, 3-Scott & Michelle Huber.



Ryan, 5, Ashley, 1-Scott & Dawn Feldhauser.



Heather Marie, 8, Joe Frederick, 5-Rick & Anita Merchant.



Summer, 5, Braden, 16 months-Sтивен & Karen Coe.



Benjamin, 4 1/2-Tossha Jones & the late Darryl Jones.



Amanda, 4-Wanda & Steve Jackson.

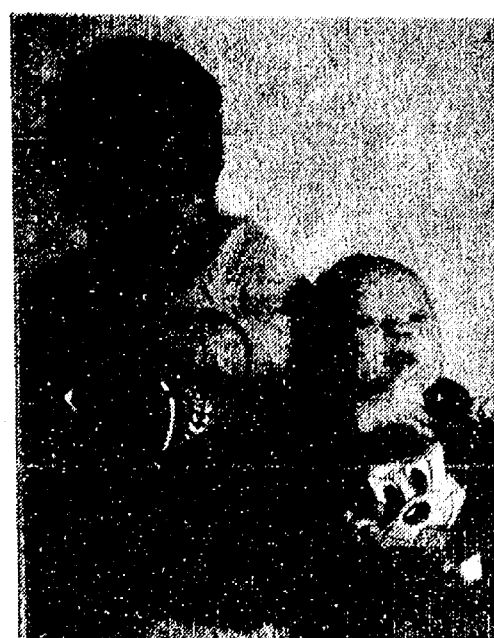


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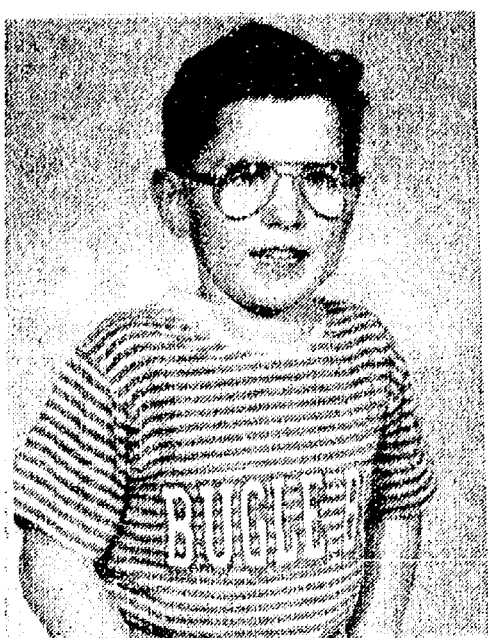


Joshua, 2-Jackie Helsel.

OF TOMORROW...



Jacob, 2, Jesse, 1 month-Tina & Barry Armstrong.



Dean, 4-Jeff & Pam Prause.



Corey, 2 months-Kurt & Cheryl Kiessel.



Justin, 4, Bridget, 19 months-Brian & Denise Riehle.



Richard, 3, Samantha, 2, Teresa, 3 months-Richard & Yvonne Schreiber.



Casandra, 3, Savannah, 19 months, Anthony, 14 months-Randy Allison & Tina Kuck.



Russell, 6, Monica, 3-Buster & Carl Peters.



John, 10, Charley, 8-Michael & Beverly McNamara.



Zachary, 4 months-Jeff & Tanya Wolcott.



Gregory, 7, Trent, 2 1/2-Darrell & Heidi Larm.



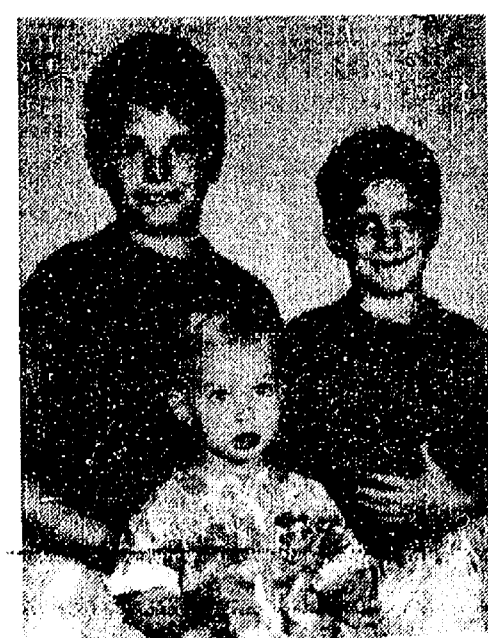
Ryan, 9, Matthew, 6-Tim & Gail Swope.



Zack, 2 1/2, Wes, 2 1/2, Spencer, 4 months-Denise Ward & Scott Rasmusson.



Sean, 16 months, Molli, 16 months-Tim & Patti Coe.



Gary, 10 1/2, Ryan, 6, Chelsea Mott, 18 months-Jim & Cheryl Mott.



Isaac, 14, Elijah, 11, Gibson, 6-Jim & Dianne Tobin.



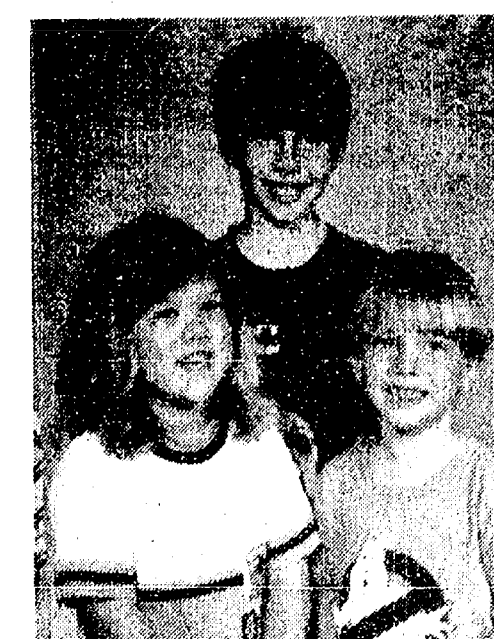
Paul, 9, Sally, 8, Jimmy, 6-Curt & Sue Jansen.



Zeke, 5-Butch Hayes & Susan Owens.



Heather, 6, Corey, 3, Nicole, 2-Wayne & Kelly Metzger.



Chris, 9, Dane, 5, Rachel Shaver, 4-Ken & Jean Potter, and Shelly Potter & Gary Shaver.



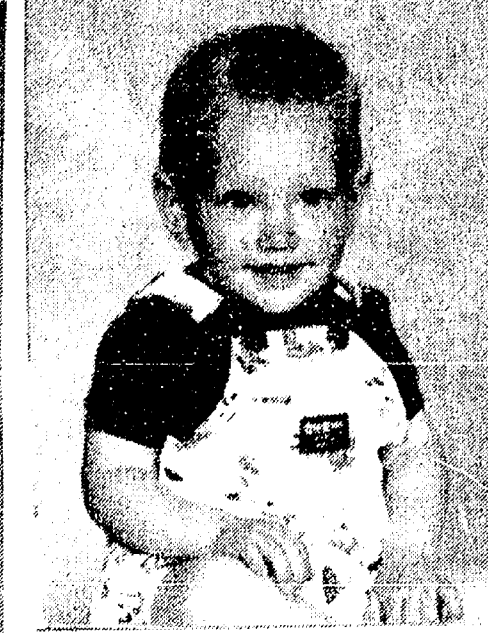
Eric, 9, Andrew, 4-Bill & Vickie Hart.



Fawn Anne, 2 1/2-Crystal & Richard Filley.



Michael, 10, Nicholas, 9-Monty & Patty D'Amour.



Cameron, 15 months-Jackie Yoder & Mike Wakeley.



Megan, 6, Marlo, 1-Wayde & Cheryl Russell.



Ashley, 12, Lindsey, 3-Jim & Debbi Knowles.



Audrey, 3-Dan & Ann Wyers.



Christopher, 7, Elizabeth, 5, John 3 1/2-Edward & JoEllen Ventline.



Gabrielle, 3, Gracie, 1 1/2-Rich & Julie Calkins.



Jonathan, 4, Jennifer, 17 months-Brock Denton & Michele Moshier.



Katy Fritz, 13, Joe Fritz, 11 Monica Leslie, 3-Debra K. Leslie.



Jimmy, 3 (not shown), Matthew, 16 months-Jim & Cathy Hilbrecht.



Jessie Kaye Kitchen, 4-Beth Kitchen, Bob Morley, and Kirt Kitchen.



Jessica, 5, Patricia, 3-Tony & Deanne Thomson.



Jason, 5 1/2, Samantha, 3 1/2-Louis Wildman & Shari Curtis.

FUTURE LEADERS

...from the children of today will come tomorrow's leaders. The Avalanche presents a look at some of the children of our community.

VERSE OR WORSE

By Joe Murphy

Trapped

What am I doing in this old man's body
I guess I ask myself everyday
What happened to my old body
That used to be able to run and play

This old body that I am trapped in now
Can just carry itself around
And it seems that almost everyday
New things to cause aches and pain are found

I am still willing to do all the things
That I did when my body was new
Like running back in the pasture to get the cattle
While the grass was still wet with dew

I would make quick work of weeding and hoeing the garden
Working hard and fast to get it done
For when the work was finished
I would be free to have some fun

Maybe get the boys together for a baseball game
Which was always a lot of fun
Back before I got stuck with this old man's body
That has trouble just walking where my old body used to run

How did I get trapped in this old man's body?
Well, I guess I just realized one day
That this old man's body had taken over
When the young man had moved away

I sure wish I could get my body back
And throw this old one away
Perhaps that goal can be achieved
In the Lord's promised land someday

PAGE FEATURE

Thursday, July 8, 1993



WAITING FOR A HOME—This cute and cuddly dog is one of many at the Crawford County Animal Shelter who would love to have a warm, friendly home. If you are looking for furry love and companionship, please call the animal shelter or stop by to see the beautiful dogs available for adoption. Call today at 348-4117.

PET CARE TIPS

If you plan to travel, see about a sitter to either stay with or look in on your older pet, advises the National Humane Education Society. Do not leave your pet shut in an empty house or outside while on vacation. If boarding is your only option, select a facility that will provide a caring and serene environment and take along a favorite blanket or favorite toys. But remember, old animals are creatures of habit and, even in time of illness, are often better off at home where the certainty of your love and attention is available.

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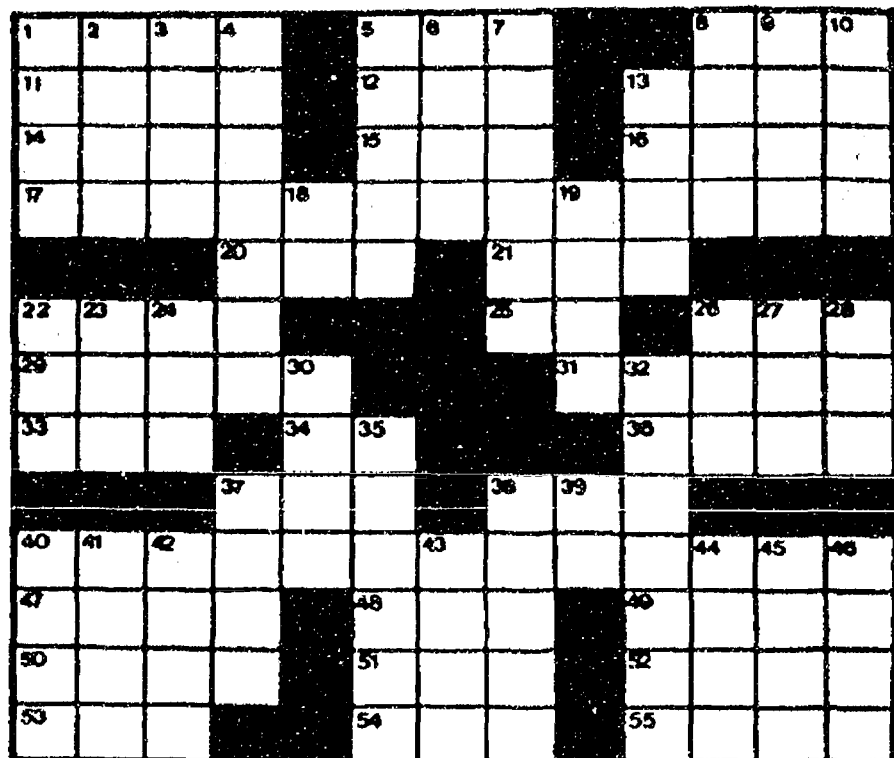
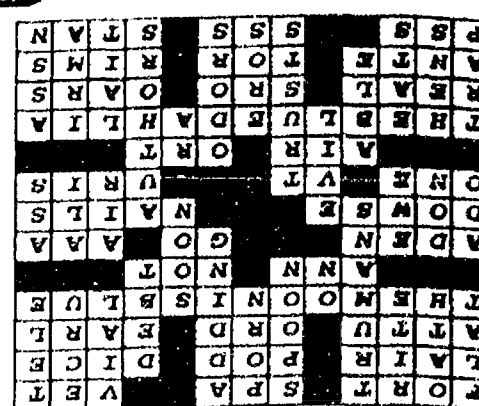
THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWER

ACROSS

- Wayne or Knox
- Spring
- Old-timer
- Den
- Hull
- Mince
- Alaskan Is.
- Calif. fort
- Nobleman
- Niven lunar film (4 wds.)
- Hooper Miller
- "---Without My Daughter"
- Mideast gulf
- "---for it!"
- Auto club
- Drench
- Fingertips
- 1
- NH neighbor
- Writer Leon
- Aura
- Crumb
- Flowery Ladd film (3 wds.)
- True
- Theater sign
- Rowboat items
- Stake
- Craggy hill
- Borders

- Additional postscript (abbr.)
- Selective Service System (abbr.)
- Bandleader Kenton
- DOWN
- London apartment
- Vow
- Ceremony
- Bess and Margaret
- Grapefruit or slotted
- Pornography, for short
- Increasing
- Small bottle
- Very light brown
- Before "graph" or "gram"
- "---Wisconsin"

- Anon
- Fuss
- Mr. Ameche
- Sheep
- Broadcast
- Ms. McGraw
- Burro
- Sinful
- Writers
- Depends
- Competent
- Aromas
- Rear Admiral (abbr.)
- Snare
- Cacklers
- Devours
- God of love
- Cafe au
- Ms. LaDuce
- Association (abbr.)



YOUR HOROSCOPE

Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: July 18 - July 24

ARIES

Mar. 21-April 19

Don't forsake security for potential instability. Remember, if it sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

TAURUS

April 20-May 20

Additional source of income should be considered. Your own personal economy could stand to have some debts relieved.

GEMINI

May 21-June 20

Show higher-ups that you are the right person for the job. Tooting your own horn could lead to the band director's position!

CANCER

June 21-July 22

True romance usually comes along only once in a lifetime. If not brought to fulfillment, it can haunt the lonely heart forever.

LEO

July 23-Aug. 22

If you're still looking for real-estate, the market is still there. You may not be looking hard enough.

VIRGO

Aug. 23-Sept. 22

Take care before making any expansions on your own. Ask for help from qualified professional. Do the right thing.

LIBRA

Sept. 23-Oct. 23

Show more willingness to help others. Community involvement will benefit you as well as those less fortunate.

SCORPIO

Oct. 23-Nov. 21

Good time to go shopping for those major items you have been wanting. Look in unlikely places for unbelievable bargains.

SAGITTARIUS

Nov. 22-Dec. 21

Career could be taking a new turn. Don't overlook any alternatives. This could be your big chance.

CAPRICORN

Dec. 22-Jan. 19

A move may be on the horizon. Expect to encounter many changes besides the obvious. No news may be bad news, though.

AQUARIUS

Jan. 20-Feb. 18

That on-again, off-again relationship is on again! Don't tie any knots until you are sure that this is what you want.

PISCES

Feb. 19-Mar. 20

Good friend offers good advice...it's just not good for you. Accepting it will only lead to disappointment later on.

A LOOK AT OUR PAST FROM THE PAGES OF THE AVALANCHE

23 years ago July 16, 1970

Troops of the Michigan Army National Guard will pass in review on the parade field Saturday as the annual review and memorial service brings an end of the first week of summer camp.

The 4,357 men in attendance will be reviewed by MG Clarence C. Schnipke, adjutant general of the state, and his staff. On the reviewing stand with top ranking officers will be Governor William G. Milliken, commander in chief of the Michigan National Guard.

Phil Miller was named the 1970 Michigan State class AA Trap Champion, which was held at Lansing last week. He broke 198-200 targets in the program.

At the organizational meeting of the Crawford-AuSable Board of Education held Monday evening, Dr. B. E. Henig was re-elected as president of the board.

Jack and Kathleen Lund, formerly of Ludington, are the new owners of the Triangle Motel. They took over management of the business on June 1.

The Lunds have two school age children. Before coming to Grayling, Mr. Lund was in the building business.

John and Mary Baker, former owners, plan to remain in Grayling. They have purchased the McEver's home on Alger Street. He is traveling for Whipple Photo Service.

Full-time students named to the President's honor list for the spring semester at Kirtland Community College from Grayling include: Pauline Hatfield, David LaGuire, Mark Nelson, David Pettyjohn and Thomas Wagner.

Students named on the dean's list with a 3.50 or better grade point average included Kathleen Bourrie, Michael Fallon and Allen Lowe.

Steve, Ralph and Cynthia Hanna of Traverse City spent Saturday night, July 4, with Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Stephan, Jr. and attended the Stephan family reunion on Sunday.

The Beaver Creek Township Board has decided to close the township park at dark. It was also decided to keep the dump open to residents of the township only.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving McIsaac and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hart spent Tuesday of last week in Conway.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Halstead drove to Traverse City Thursday morning and picked up their son, Kenneth at the airport there. Ken had received his discharge from the Navy and plans on enjoying being home for a while. He had spent the past year as a hospitalman in Vietnam, and had received a commendation from the Vietnam government.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Failing will be honored on the occasion of their 50th

wedding anniversary at an open house Sunday afternoon, July 19. It will be hosted by their children at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Millikin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkewitz of Detroit report that after going home one weekend in June, they remembered leaving their flag up. They called the sheriff's department, who took it down and kept it for them until their next trip here.

Maggie Leverton fell Friday afternoon about 12:30 and broke a rib and injured her arm. Her daughter, Myrtle Small of Beaver Creek came in and took her to emergency. She is confined at home now and has to spend most of her time in bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bendig and sons, Wayne and Cliff Wheeler, the Kim Lovelys and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wright spend last weekend at Camp Red Eye in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Welsler of Grayling are the parents of a son, Jayson Scott, born on July 11.

46 years ago July 17, 1947

Thomas Lozo of Bay City, who spent the weekend here along with his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Krone, also of Bay City, had a real trophy to take home with him. He hooked into and landed an eleven-pound one-ounce brown trout on the Manistee River west of Frederic.

Lozo and Krone began fishing the Manistee early in the evening last Saturday and netted the huge brown about 11 o'clock that night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lakin and son, Danny, of St. Louis, Ontario, spent several days last week visiting Mrs. Freeman's sisters, Mrs. Mary Galvani of Grayling and Mrs. Edith Payne of Frederic. Mrs. Lakin is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman.

Barbara Johnson is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis at Crosswell for a couple weeks.

Cheerful Givers Club will meet at their hall July 23. Potluck lunch will be served. Birthdays for Fern Waiser, Rose Keeler, Mildred Johnson and Margaret Husted to be observed.

Emmett Grillot and Richard Grillot of Versailles, Ohio, were callers at the Don Weaver and Conkling homes last Thursday evening, on their way home from a fishing trip in Wisconsin. They state that fishing was "strictly off," in Wisconsin and they will come to Crawford County next summer to enjoy some real fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Calkins and son, Ronny, of Midland, were recent guests at the Otto Failing home. Miss Patsy Failing returned home with them after spending some time in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Robarge and family have returned from a 10-day visit with their son and family in Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Manty and

daughter, Kaye, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Garlick and son, Gene, of Kalamazoo spent the weekend as the guests of the Wesley Kumpulas. They enjoyed a canoe trip down the AuSable on Saturday, on which they were joined by Emie Borchers.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reid and son, Marvin, of Richmond, Ind., Mrs. M. Richardson of Rocky River, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Clare Schuur and sons, Maynard and Paul, of Kalamazoo were recent guests of the Carl Richardson family.

Eighty-five Vallards and their families attended a reunion at the Hartwick Pines on July 4th. There were folks present from Detroit, Pontiac, Flint, Marion, Gaylord, Kalkaska, Boyne City and Standish. The group enjoyed a potluck dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McMahon of Royal Oak were Thursday dinner guests of their niece and family, the Harry Souders, while spending a week as the guests of Mrs. McMahon's brother and wife, the E. A. Corsauts, in Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Giegling and daughters, the Misses Emily and Sue, attended the Fry family reunion held at Peach Lake, Sunday. Forty-six were on hand to enjoy a potluck dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Perry of Detroit are guests for the week of Mr. and Mrs. William LaRush and family. Guests at the LaRush home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sly and son, Tommy, of Detroit, Pat Boufford and son, Dennis, Karen Gardner and son Eddy, and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Davis.

Little Susan Hayes entertained a few members of the younger set in celebration of her birthday, Wednesday, July 16. A pure white birthday cake and ice cream were served. Susan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes.

Mrs. Harold Hatfield returned home Sunday after spending a week in Detroit, visiting Mrs. James Hatfield. Roger Hatfield fell and broke his wrist in two places Sunday. Recent guests of the Hatfield family were Mrs. E. Cole and sons, George and William Hatfield of Detroit. They spent two week's here fishing.

Mrs. Emil Niederer, with her children, Emil Jr. and Betsy were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Warren Cooksey at their cabin "Sunrise" on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lozon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lozon and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Manier and daughter enjoyed a picnic at Jones Lake Sunday in celebration of Clyde Lozon's birthday.

Mr. W. O. Hildebrand left Sunday evening after spending ten days here with his family. While he was here the family were guests of Stewart Woodfill at Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island, Thursday and Friday of last week.

The 4-H club met at Stanley Hummel's Monday afternoon. Mr. O. F. Walker of Alba took charge of the

meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hoesli, Nancy Hoesli and Phyllis Ziebell spent Sunday at Glen Lake.

69 years ago July 17, 1924

Mr. and Mrs. James McCara, Mrs. L. Vail and Mrs. Amelia Goff of Flint, and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lot of Burlington, Iowa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Goff Sunday and Monday.

In honor of his eleventh birthday, Glen Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Smith, entertained a number of boys and girls at Connine's Grove Saturday afternoon.

Sunday was a banner day so far there being 610 cars having passed a given point in the twelve hours on the trunk line highway.

Robert L. Jackson, who with his family has for the past few months been residing in Hillman, returned last week to take up residence near McMasters on the AuSable.

Work on William Floeter's new daily barn and garage is progressing nicely, and John L. Floeter's new house is rapidly nearing completion.

Mrs. Joseph Corrigan arrived Wednesday to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cameron. Gordon McDonald, who attends Alma College, spent the first part of the week here, with his father, C. C. McDonald.

James Cariveau and family of Jackson are visiting Mrs. Cariveau's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Charlefour. Misses Virginia, Polly, and Betty Murray of Detroit, guests of their father, Edgar A. Murray, and brother, Mark, are spending the week at the Henry Bauman cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Charles Ewalt and family have constructed a fine cottage at Lake Margrethe. Also George Miller has the foundation finished for a new cottage at the same lake.

Hans Christenson of Flint arrived in the city last week and has been visiting his old friends in Beaver Creek. Mr. Christenson was formerly a farmer in the latter place. He says he likes Flint real well.

Miss Helen Darling's birthday occurred on Tuesday, and several members of the Methodist Sunday School gave a party in her honor.

Much interest is manifested by the people coming into Grayling, in the pine forest belonging to R. Hanson, and some people have suggested that signs be placed along the highways directing tourists to it. This is just about the last stand of virgin white pine that is left in Michigan. It is located about six miles northeast of Grayling and contains two and a half million feet of timber and covers 76 acres.

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The Bible Speaks

From The
Calvary Baptist Church

New Age Versions #7

G.A. Riplinger's book entitled, *New Age Bible Versions, (An Exhaustive Documentation Exposing The Message, Men and Manuscripts Moving Mankind To The Antichrist's One World Religion)*, reveals the unbelief which motivated the men behind the modern Bible versions. The evidence is in that Brooke Foss Westcott and Fenton John Anthony Hort were Necromancers. That is, they allegedly communicated with the dead to tell the future. Occult practices are condemned in the Bible. (Deut. 18:10-12; Isa. 19:3; 47:9, 12, 2Chr. 33:6; 2Ki. 17:17, 21:6; and Lev. 19:26). Yet, these men became known as the fathers of the modern critical Greek text underlying modern Bible versions. Westcott founded a Hermes club. Hermes was called the sacred scribe of the gods. Luciferian H.P. Blavatsky identifies Hermes as Satan. "Satan or Hermes are all one . . . He is called the Dragon of Wisdom . . . the serpent . . . identical with the god Hermes . . .

inventor of the first initiation of men into magic . . . the author of serpent worship."

"Hermes was also the original 'hermaphrodite,' the fusion of sexes in one persons." The "author of *Occult Underground* cites Hermes as the entry point of scholars and philosophers into the occult." One historian cites letters between members of Westcott's clubs and refers to the 'intensity' of a 'homosexual' relationship between members. The School of Hermes is today listed as a New Age organization. "Benjamin Creme, when identifying the New Age Christ, christens him 'Hermes' as does Blavatsky."

Drugs such as cannabis, marijuana, hashish, or Coleridge, an opium addict were used by members of the clubs. It was the Hermes Club which led to spiritualism and the organization of the society called the Ghostly Guild by Westcott and Hort. Westcott and Hort are listed by numerous historians and researchers to be among the 'Fathers' of the modern channeling movement. "The Fox sisters along with H.P. Blavatsky were the 'Mothers.'" The Ghostly Guild became the

parent society of the Society for Psychical Research. Their interests included "telepathy, pure clairvoyance, communication from 'some spirit' in or out of body . . . the nature and extent of any influence which may be exerted by one mind upon another . . . disturbances in houses reputed to be haunted . . . physical phenomena commonly called spiritualistic."

"New bible versions now eliminate God's censure of 'enchantment' or 'charming.'" Riplinger listed about a page of mistranslation of words in modern versions which leave the readers uncertain and ignorant of God's word on this subject.

Pastor "B"

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DOCTOR HONORED—A long-standing member of the Mercy Hospital Medical Staff, George Kieler, M.D., right, was recognized by his colleagues recently during the annual medical staff dinner. Dr. Kieler was presented a plaque by John Thiel, D.O., Chief of Staff, for his 33 years of dedicated and consistent service to the patients and families at Mercy Hospital. Dr. Kieler practices anesthesiology at Mercy and has a general practice in Roscommon.

MERCY HOSPITAL BIRTHS

The following parents are proud to announce their recent arrivals at Grayling Mercy Hospital:

Carl and Elizabeth Wright of Prudenville: Jared Ryan Wright, July 2, 1993, 19", 6 lbs., 9 ozs.

Susan Meredith Hanes of St. Helen: Rafferty Hanes, June 26, 1993, 20", 8 lbs., 14.9 ozs.

Terry and Rachel McClenathan of Houghton Lake: Troy William McClenathan, June 30, 1993, 20", 7 lbs., 10 ozs.

Richard Geary and Maureen Roemer of Gaylord: Steven Andrew Geary, June 30, 1993, 20.5", 7 lbs., 6.2 ozs.

Ira Jacob Schram and Hope Hanger of Grayling: Amanda Renee Schram, July 3, 1993, 19.5", 8 lbs., 6 ozs.

Randy Widmer and Amy Hamel of Frederic: Bobbie Jo Widmer, July 3, 1993, 19.5", 5 lbs., 15.3 ozs.

Jeff Backus and Shannon Stephan of Roscommon: Zane William, July 1, 1993, 19", 6 lbs., 9 ozs.

Church Directory



The Real Thing

In your local supermarket, you may find several facsimiles of "Grandma's apple pie." They are tasty, no doubt, but there's nothing like the real thing cooling on the windowsill.

Of course, times change and so do Grandmas. One thing about Grandmas doesn't change, however, and that is their capacity for love. It may still be expressed in apple pies or when sharing long walks and talks with their grandchildren. Some Grandmas have traded in their rustling aprons for rustling walking suits, but the benefits are nurturing. They are wise, patient, and great listeners. Those attributes are still the real thing.

God is a great listener, too. Take a walk to your neighborhood church or synagogue this Sabbath. He is waiting patiently for you to share your life with Him. Whether God is found in a country chapel or a crystal cathedral, His capacity for love is unchanging and boundless . . . the real thing.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Deuteronomy 5:1-22	Deuteronomy 6:1-9	2 Kings 17:24-41	Malachi 2:1-9	Matthew 13:1-23	Matthew 15:1-26	Matthew 22:34-46

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First Baptist Church Of Frederic
Pastor Dale Hammond
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 p.m.

Christ Missionary
Minister F.L.A. Henning
4 Mi. East of Frederic
County Rd. 612
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship & Praise 11 a.m.
Sun. Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer, Bible Study 6 p.m.

Christian Science Society
209 First St. - Suite 103 - Gaylord
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
April through October
2nd Wednesday 8 p.m.

Michelson Memorial
United Methodist Church
Pastor Doug Paterson
400 Michigan Ave.
Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11 a.m.
Bible Study (Wed.) 10 a.m.

Seventh Day Adventist
Pastor David Stramel
Phone 348-4445
Services held Saturday at Camp AuSable
in 1st building on the right off new entrance
road.
Church Service 9:30 a.m.
Sabbath School 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting Tues 7 p.m.

Grayling Assembly of God
Rev. Ron Voelker, Pastor
Old 27 North, 701 Grayling Rd.
Church - 348-8885
Parsonage 348-2588
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday - Family Night
Adult-Youth-Children Sessions 7 p.m.

Christian Science Society
Zone 11, 106 James St. • Houghton Lake
Sunday Ser. & Sunday School 11 a.m.
1st Wednesday (April-Oct.) 7:30 p.m.

Heritage Baptist
Pastor Jim Van Lier 348-7699
1841 Hartwick Pines Rd.
1/4 mile west of I-75
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.

St. John Evangelical
Lutheran (ELCA)
Rev. Michael Kemper
710 Spruce St. - Phone 348-5224
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Choir Rehearsal (Tue.) 7 p.m.

Reorganized Church
Of Jesus Christ
Of Latter Day Saints
Pastor Lacey Stephan, Jr.
Corner of North Down River Rd.
and South Millikin Rd.
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Preaching 11 a.m.
Midweek Service Prayer 7 p.m.

Gaylord Christian Reformed
Rev. V. Schaap
415 Ohio North
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Fr. Michael Conner - 348-7291
702 Peninsular - 348-7657
Saturday 5 p.m.
Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.

Weekday Mass
Tuesday 8 a.m.
Wednesday 10 a.m.
Thursday 8 a.m.
Friday 8 a.m.
Confession Saturday 4 p.m.

Calvary Assembly of God
Rev. Lawrence Cook
250 Lake St. • Roscommon • 275-5309
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Family Night 7 p.m.

Lovells Chapel
Pastor Gary Hopp
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Chapel Service 11 a.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Dr. Robert Barnett, Pastor
M-72 West
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Mid-Week Services
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Proposals must be submitted by August 20, 1993. Crawford County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Elizabeth H. Wieland
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HISCOCK REPEAT TIMBER SALE is located within sections 27, 28, 29, 33 AND 34, T25N, R1W, Michigan Meridian, Crawford County, Michigan. Sealed bids will be received at the Mio District Ranger's Office, Mio, Michigan up to 3:00 PM local time on August 10, 1993, for an estimated 3134 Mbf (5005 Cct). The advertised sale value is \$101,546.81.

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NOTICE

BEAR LAKE TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS
SATURDAY, JULY 24, 1993 ONLY

TRASH CLEAN UP DAY to be held at the Community Center on July 24, from 9 am to 4 pm. Residents must show **PROOF OF LAND OWNERSHIP**. Items that **WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED** include: any liquids, chemicals or hazardous materials, concrete, contractor's material, household trash, oil, gasoline and paint (not dry). Recycling container will be available. A container for used motor oil collection will be available. Call 258-4871 if you need assistance in transporting any items **NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, JULY 21st.**



Wright, Bobenmoyer wed

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bobenmoyer announce the marriage of their son, Paul L., to Rebecca Lynn Wright of Jacksonville, Arkansas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Wright. The marriage took place on April 10, 1993, in Jacksonville.

On July 10, 1993, while the couple were in Grayling, the grooms' parents

held a wedding reception in their honor. They received many well wishes and gifts. Out of town guests were from Saginaw, St. Joseph, Traverse City, Mt. Pleasant, Gaylord and Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobenmoyer are making their home in Jacksonville, Arkansas, while Paul is stationed at Little Rock Air Base.

BITS OF TALK

By Fay Bovee

Bob Jorgenson of Virginia is spending a couple of weeks in the Grayling area visiting friends and relatives. He is staying with his brother Steve and wife.

Pete and Gloria Stephan have returned from a two-week vacation spent with their daughter and family, Diane and Mark Adkison, Matt and Heather, near Sparta, Tennessee. Gloria's mother, Mrs. Julia Millikin accompanied them.

Visiting Mary Jane Knibbs over the Fourth of July weekend were Linda Knibbs of Springfield, Illinois, Nancy and Michael Elliott of Ann Arbor, Holly Knibbs of Traverse City, and Jim and Cindy Knibbs, Natalie and Andrea of Petoskey.

Bob and Eileen Chappel, along with their granddaughters Natalie and Andrea Knibbs, spent weekend before last camping with the Northern Knights at Lake George near West Branch.

We would like to welcome Jim and Phyllis Bond back home to Grayling. Jim has retired from his teaching and they have a new house under construction in Sherwood Forest.

Mrs. Barbara Humes spent three weeks in Tokyo, Japan, visiting her brother, Francis Irving Travis, who teaches at the University of Tokyo. She did a lot of sightseeing and enjoyed her trip immensely.

Casey Thompson of Saginaw is spending the summer with his grandparents Sandy and Jeanne Thompson and is working with his uncle Randy. Casey is the son of Pat Thompson and Mary Thompson.

Bob and Fay Bovee spent the weekend in Ann Arbor where they attended the reunion of the Plymouth

High School Class of 1943, held at the Fox Hills Country Club between Plymouth and Ann Arbor.

The Charles Fick family received a call last week from their former exchange student, Gonzalo Arancibia, from Santiago, Chile. He is now working in a bank and does half of his banking work in English so that Marilyn says that his English is very good. He is married and has two little boys.

Abner and Evelyn Sager will be celebrating their 65th wedding anniversary on the 21st of July if you wish to send them a card.

A son, Conor Alan, was born June 22 to Kevin and Arlene Dietrich of Davisburg. Conor Alan weighed seven pounds, six and one half ounces and measured 20 and a half inches at birth. Grandparents are Shirley and Neil Longworth of Grayling, and Viola Dietrich of East Jordan, and his great grandmother is Helen Proulx of Grayling.

Sr. A. Paul Bobenmoyer and his new wife, Becky, were home on leave for ten days visiting his parents Don and Elaine and his brother, and sisters and friends.

While home, his parents held a wedding reception in their honor on July 10. They received many well wishes and gifts. Out-of-town guests were from Saginaw, St. Joseph, Traverse City, Mt. Pleasant, Gaylord and Tawas.

It turned out to be a family reunion too, as seven of Don and Elaine's nine children were together: Martel, Keith, Mary, Janice, Yvonne, David and Paul. Karen of Norfolk, Va., and James of Germany could not attend.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made July 30, 1981, by Debra G. Canfield, as mortgagor(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on August 3, 1981, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 198 of mortgages on pages 606-609;

On which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Thirty-seven Thousand Three Hundred Forty-one and 02/100 Dollars (\$37,341.02) principal and Forty-one Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety and 48/100 Dollars (\$41,990.48) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given that on August 5, 1993, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the Front steps (east side) of Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with

the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit:

Land located in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan. Lot 12 and the North 1/2 of Lot 11, Clough's Highland Acres, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 65, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period will be six months from the foreclosure sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale, plus interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property. For additional information, contact UNITED STATES OF AMERICA acting through Farmers Home Administration, 377 S. Mt. Tom Rd., Mio, MI, 48647, mortgagee.

Dated: June 23, 1993

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made July 17, 1992, by Jeffrey P. McCullough, a single man, as mortgagor(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on July 21, 1992, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 345 of mortgages on pages 220-223;

On which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Forty five thousand seventy five 00/100 Dollars (\$45,075.00) principal and Three thousand four hundred fifty eight 93/100 Dollars (\$3,458.93) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given that on August 12, 1993, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the Front steps (east side) of Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit:

Crawford, Township of Grayling Lot 8, Janice Manor, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 22, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period will be six months from the foreclosure sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale, plus interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property. For additional information, contact UNITED STATES OF AMERICA acting through Farmers Home Administration, 377 S. Mt. Tom Rd., Mio, MI, 48647, mortgagee.

Dated: June 30, 1993

-1-8-15-22

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure By Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain promissory note and mortgage, bearing the date of August 25, 1987, by Robert A. Howden and Lisa R. Howden, husband and wife, as mortgagors, to Crawford County Housing Rehabilitation and Community Development as Lender said mortgage being recorded at Liber 269 Pages 371 in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, upon which promissory note there is claim to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice the sum of Four Thousand One Hundred Sixty-Seven Dollars and Ninety-Three Cents (\$4,167.93) plus interest through May 7, 1993, at the rate of Three Percent (3%) per annum and in addition, other allowable costs, including unpaid property taxes in the amount of \$3,241.28, actual attorney fees, insurance and discharge fees;

Further, no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage and mortgage amendments and the power of sale being contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of July, 1993, at 11:00 in the forenoon at the main front door of the Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said County, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid on said promissory note with interest thereon at the rate of Three (3.0%) percent, together with legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said promissory note and mortgage. The land and the premises described in said mortgage is as follows:

Lot 3, Block 24, Rofee's Addition to the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of sale. The property may be redeemed by paying the amount bid at the sale, plus interest at the rate of Three (3.0%) Percent and any fees, taxes or other unpaid encumbrances on the property from the date of the sale.

The property shall be offered for sale in parcels or in total.

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Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling in the following areas:

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The Small Arms ranges located at Arrowhead Road in Kalkaska County. Firing will begin on July 14 through July 21.

Range 13, Morar Range located south of the main post, bounded on the west by Cadillac Road and on the east by Carrier Road. Firing will begin on July 14 through July 21.

Range 20, Demolition Range located south of Howe Road, west of the Crawford County Line, north of Daniels Road, and east of the gas pipeline. Firing will begin on July 14 through July 21.

Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Road, south of County Road 612, and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin on July 14 through July 21.

The Range 40 Complex, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin on July 14 through July 21.

The Range 40 Complex, Air to Ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will be from July 14 and cease on July 21.

NOTICE

The Crawford County Board of Commissioners is accepting applications from persons interested in serving on the Crawford County Building Authority. Applicants must be residents of Crawford County. Applications must be received in the clerk's office, 200 West Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan by July 30, 1993.

Elizabeth H. Wieland
County Clerk

NOTICE

Beaver Creek Township residents, please note the Transfer Site hours beginning July 17, 1993, will be Saturday and Sunday only from 11 am until 4 pm. Appliance and furniture no longer accepted at the site but twice a year.

Irene C. Schultes
Supervisor

GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

The Grayling Township Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, July 27, 1993, beginning at 7 pm, in the Conference Room of the Grayling Township Hall, 2090 Viking Way, (M-72 West), Grayling, to receive and review public comment regarding the following case:

Case #93-4C: Sharon Trudgeon, petitioner.
Property Code: 20-045-220-000-017-00.
Location: 305 Lillian St. Lot 17 Clough's Highland Acres Sub.
Section 6, T26N, R3W.

A request for Conditional Use Permit to allow expansion of group child day care from 6 to 12 children as licensed by State of Michigan.

Case files and Zoning Ordinance are available for inspection at the Grayling Township Offices during regular office hours.

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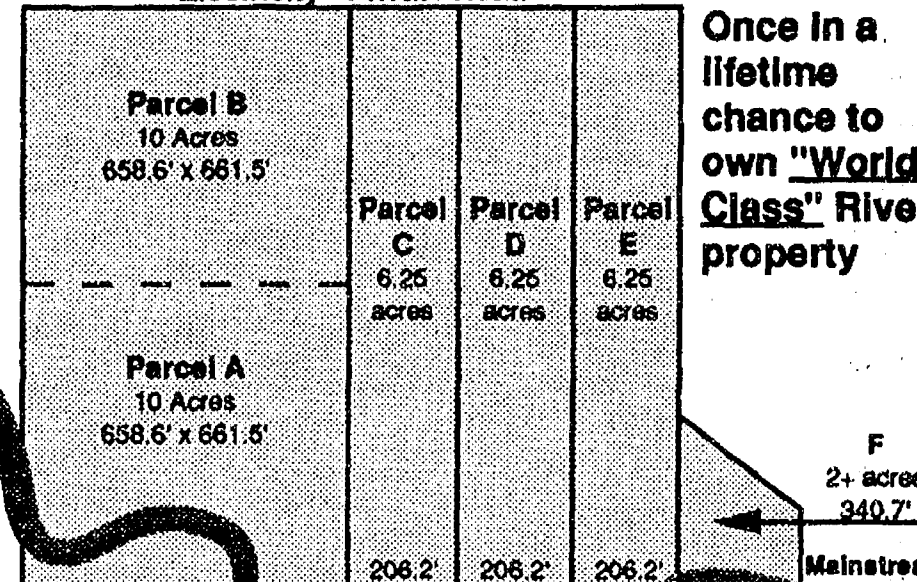
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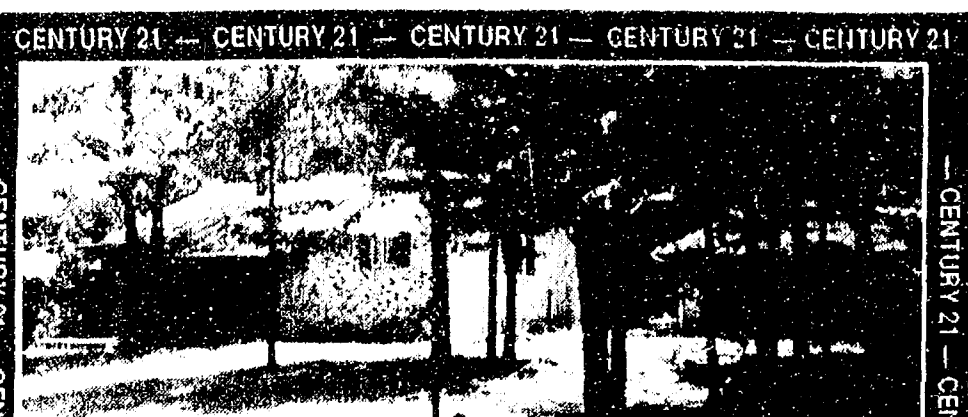
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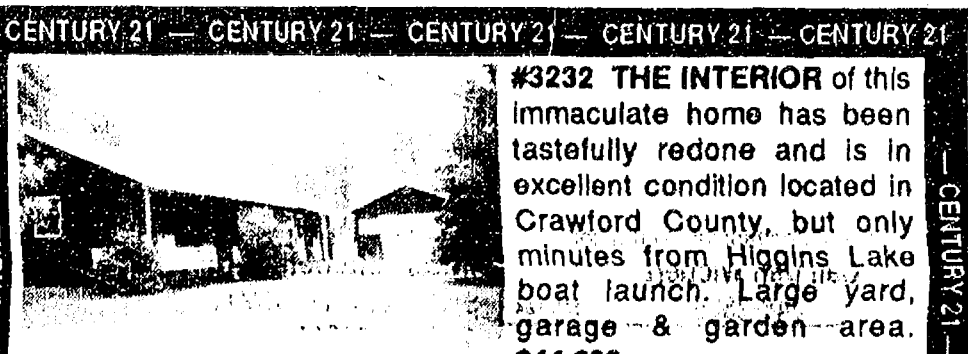


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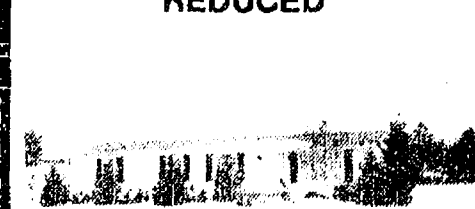
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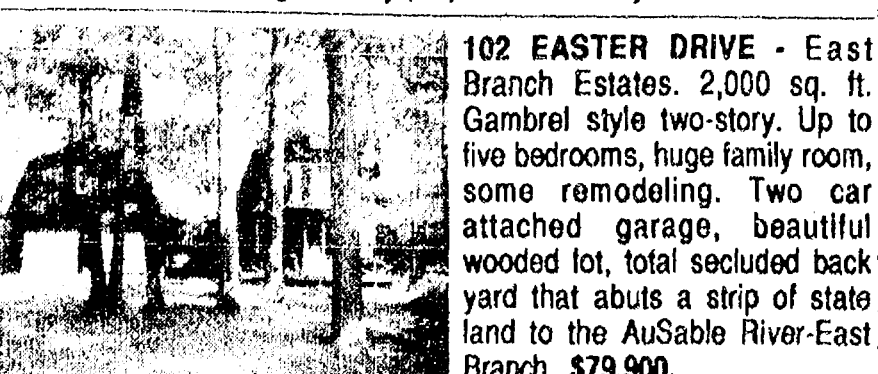
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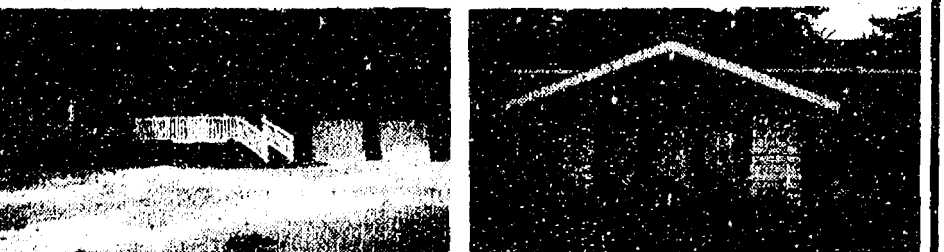
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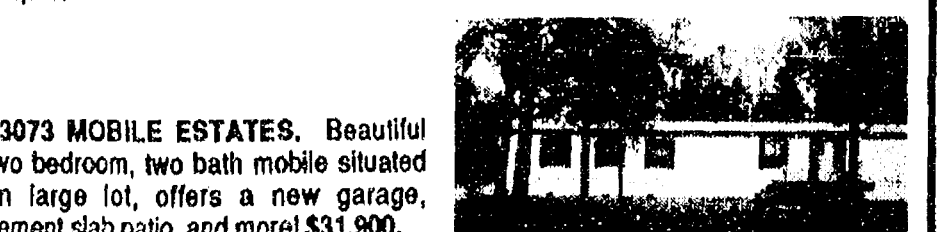
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2a. Wanted to Rent

WANT TO RENT Three bedroom home in or close proximity to town. No pets. Full-time government employee (22 years.) References. Call 348-3774 or 348-2651. -15-22/2a

3. Employment

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ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS for cooks, prep people, waiters, waitresses, bus people, dishwashers, maintenance personnel. Full-time, part-time and summer help. Apply in person, Chief Shoppenagons, 103 Michigan Ave, Grayling, MI. -8-15/3

3. Employment

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-15/4

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5. For Sale

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6/10/93tf/5

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PONTOON, 24' HARRIS, ALUMINUM Custom covers, new top, 40 h.p. Johnson. Good shape, \$3,250. Milltown Marine, 348-9116 or 348-8336.
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6. Wanted

WANTED: GUITARS BY GIBSON, Fender, Gretsch, Martin, Epiphone, National, Dobro, Kay, amplifiers. Collector pays to \$10,000. Call 1-800-484-8061, s-code 1212.
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7. Miscellaneous

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7. Miscellaneous

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WELCOME WAGON HOSTESS'S Call Betty Mansfield, 348-8562 or Shirley Carpenter, 348-5362 if you are a newcomer, engaged, or a new mother.
12/12tf/8NC

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9. Personals

ATTENTION: NANCY BROOKS Sorry we missed your 50th on June 22. Happy belated birthday.
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9. Personals

Look who will be
a teenager
in one more year!



Happy Birthday Jamie
July 14th
Love, Mom, Dad and Steve

HAPPY 65TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY to Ab and Evelyn Sager on July 21st. Their children would like to have a greeting card shower in their honor. Anyone wishing to send a card, their address is: Ab and Evelyn Sager, Rt 2 4446 Recreation Way, Grayling, MI 49738.
-15/9

10. Garage Sales

THURSDAY

GARAGE SALE: THREE FAMILIES 3/4 miles west of Danish Landing on M-72. Gas grill, miscellaneous items, free kittens, craft table. July 15 & 16, 10 to 4.
-15/10

BED LINENS, BIKE, baby bed, plantation shutters, kitchen items much misc. 8085 Collen off Grayling Avenue. Thursday and Friday, 9 to 4.
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THREE FAMILY SALE Clothes, ceiling fans, toys, books, etc. Thursday-Saturday, 10-4. North Down River Road, 1/4 mile before Wakeley Bridge Road.
-15/10

10. Garage Sales

FRIDAY

MOVING SALE It's all got to go! Antique glass, tools, boat, collectors items, household, plus lots of just good stuff. Twenty miles east of Grayling out North Down River Road, to right on Morley Road, 1.7 miles to 1105. Friday and Saturday, 9-5; Sunday, 9-3.
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-15/10

FURNITURE, CLOTHING, TOYS, books, dining room table and chairs, bar stools. Don't miss it! Evergreen Drive, off Stephan Bridge Road. Friday and Saturday, 9 to 4.
-15/10

SATURDAY

GARAGE SALE Saturday, July 17th, 9 to 4. Corner Ogema and Rose.
-15/10

GARAGE SALE Two dining room sets, sofa, chairs, dishes, pots and pans, clothing, beds and much more. Go to Camp Grayling entrance, follow signs. Saturday, July 17, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sunday, July 18, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
-15/10

10. Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE: 17TH AND 18TH 9-4. Tools, welder, furniture, sewing machines, snowmobiles, three-wheeler, camping trailer, heaters, kerosene, electric, radiator, ventless, satellite dish with accessories. Many misc. items. Maple Forest, take 93 to 612, turn right 1/2 mile to curve, turn on gravel road, second house on right.
-15/10

GARAGE SALE Six panel door, weight bench and weights, Christmas tree, children's clothes, satellite dish and more. Saturday, 8a-5p. North Down River to Wilcox Bridge to Jones Lake, follow signs.
-15/10

YARD SALE AT JIM'S FARM MARKET Saturday, July 17th, 10-4. Men's, women's and infant clothing.
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Friday, July 30th, 1993
6 pm Sharp

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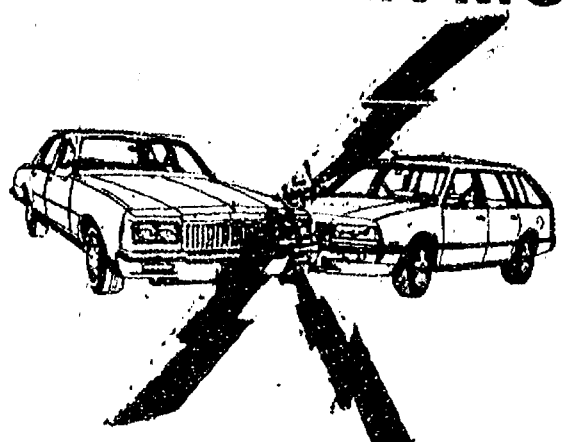
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History program featured at county library

Carl Hatfield, representing Crawford County Historical Museum, will do a show-and-tell presentation about Crawford County history at the Crawford County Library on Thursday, July 15, at 11 a.m. as part of the summer reading program, "Make a Splash! READ."

Due to public request, videos will check out for one week on a \$2 deposit. The \$2 per day overdue charge on videos will continue.

The annual book sale will be July 22 and 23, weather permitting, at the Crawford County Library and July 24 at a booth as part of the AuSable River Festival.

In memory of

The family of Delta P. Garver wishes to thank the Pastors Hamond, Taylor, and Mossman, also Hospital Chaplain Sister Rosemary for their help during this trying time. Special thanks to the Frederic Ambulance, North Flight Ambulance, Grayling Hospital nurses and Dr. Gosling. The First Baptist Church of Frederic and Derek McEvers and staff, and for the many friends, cards and flowers. We will miss Delta very much, but we know she is in Heaven.

Her loving Family,
Robert and Jean Garver
Beverly Targac
and her Brothers and Sisters



ROTARY DONATES TO JAYCEES--Keith Kenney (third from right) hands a check for \$1,200 from the Grayling Rotary Club to Heidi Jones of the Grayling Jaycees. Also pictured are Jaycee members Kelli Appes, Steve Thompson, Chris Johnson, Deb Allen, Dusty Latusek and Charlene Scheer. The donation will be used for the new Grayling Youth Center.

Rotary club donates \$1,200 toward youth center

The Grayling Jaycees received \$1,200 from the Grayling Rotary Club for the new Grayling Youth Center. The generous donation will be utilized to help get the Youth Center started this summer, said Heidi Jones, donation committee chairperson.

The Youth Center will be located at Hanson Hills Recreation Area, which Jaycee members and local youths have already begun to remodel. The purpose of the center is to offer the youths of Grayling a safer, more enjoyable place to go to have fun. The Youth Center will offer them various sporting activities, movies, dances, games and more.

In addition to the generous donation from the Rotary Club, several members of the donation committee are currently contacting local businesses and individuals to gather additional donations for the center. These

donations, both monetary and particular items, will help to make the Youth Center a big success.

If you have not yet been contacted by a Jaycee member and would like to give a contribution or have an item

you would like to donate, please call Jones at 348-2921 (days) or 348-4676 (evenings). Also watch the Avalanche for the announcement of the grand opening for the Grayling Youth Center, which is scheduled to open soon.

Dynamite the Clown to appear at Crawford County Fair pageant

On Wednesday, July 21, at 7 p.m. in the Crawford County Fair Pavilion is the Little Miss Crawford County Fair Pageant with Dynamite the Clown appearing as the M.C.

Dynamite's appearing is sponsored

by the Grayling Youth Booster Club and Schmidt Amusements of Standish. Dynamite will also ride on the Little Miss Crawford County Fair Float on Saturday, July 24 in the AuSable River Festival Parade at 3 p.m.

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Drawing to help Robbie Cox

Modern Woodmen of America, Camp 6378, of Grayling, is sponsoring a Matching Fund Raffle for the benefit of Robbie Cox.

The drawing will be held on Tuesday, July 27, at 7:30 p.m. at Hardee's. Donation is \$1 per ticket with the grand prize being the winner's choice of one of the following donated by K-mart: gas grill, television, or VCR. All proceeds raised from this project will be matched by the Home Office of Modern Woodmen of America up to \$2,500. The money will be given to Robbie Cox and will be used to purchase a "Paws For Cause Dog" and a (TDD) Telecommunications Device.

People need not be present to win. Tickets are available at Kmart or call Patty at 348-4442 and leave a message. Many other prizes have been donated by area merchants.

Diabetes info sharing session to be held July 19

A Diabetes Information Sharing Session will be held on Monday, July 19, in the Family Practice Clinic lobby on North Down River Road at 7 p.m.

There is no charge for the session, which is open to everyone and led by Noreen Harmer, B.S., C.H.E.S.

Ostomy group to meet July 18

The Straits Area Ostomy Association will hold its regular meeting on Sunday, July 18, 1993, at 2 p.m. in the conference room of Old Kent Bank in Gaylord. All ostomates and interested persons are cordially invited. Please call 517-821-5721 for further information.

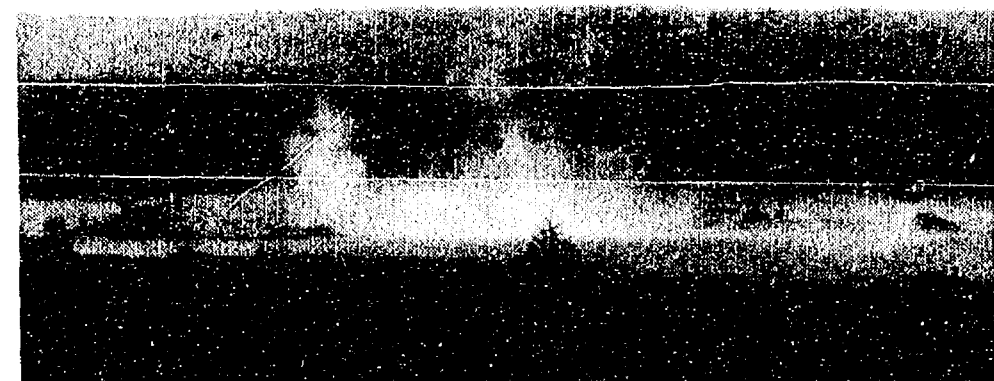
In memory of

This Friday my grandpa would have been 88 years old. All of the big holidays have passed, but grandpa's birthday was always special to us. This summer has been a tough one, especially on long holiday weekends. There is nobody to fill the donut trays when we need it. Nobody to dance or sing when tensions rise. There is nobody to call my favorite grandpa or to have a secret ice cream cone with. Grandpa, we all love you and miss you!

Love,
Your Granddaughter,
Linda Goodale



LOCKED ON AND READY TO FIRE--This F16 approaches the target at the Grayling Air Gunnery Range during the annual open house held last Saturday. Several hundred spectators watched the sophisticated aircraft display their attack capabilities.



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SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Grayling-Roscommon Women's Softball League 6/29/93 standings		
Weyerhaeuser defeated Limberlost, 12-10. Winning pitcher: Jackie Sadler. Losing pitcher: Tabitha Wolcott.	Dee Dee Vorce	2 for 3
Weyerhaeuser	Sarah Raorke	3 for 5
Deb Zelek	Dee Colvin	3 for 5
Margaret Harmer	Silver Dollar	
Carol Stevens	Helene Strohmeier	1 for 3
Limberlost	Amy Arches	1 for 2
Michelle Warren	George McClintock	1 for 2
Pam Parkstan	Tammy Jones	1 for 2
Rosemary Servas	Greens defeated Burger King, 10-9, in eight innings. Winning pitcher: Tammy Ballor.	
Tabitha Wolcott	Greens	
Jack's defeated Silver Dollar, 24-1.	Shannon Sapp	3 hits
Jack's	Theresa Bicego	2 hits
Michelle Myers	Tammy Ballor	2 hits
Mary Kellow	Connie Spaulding	2 hits
Sis Davidson	Burger King	
	Sandy Pit	2 hits
	Tammy Rose	3 hits

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\$46,000 purse draws entries from U.S., Canada, England to Weyerhaeuser AuSable River Canoe Marathon

The Weyerhaeuser AuSable River Canoe Marathon has been dubbed "The Richest Canoe Race in the World" by *Canoeist*, a British magazine. Currently, about two weeks before the race, 32 teams from eight states, Canada and England have submitted entry applications for what many observers consider to be North America's toughest, longest non-stop canoe race.

The Weyerhaeuser AuSable Marathon is also the middle leg of the prestigious "triple crown" of North American Marathon Canoe Racing. New York state's General Clinton Regatta and Quebec's La Classique de Canots are the other two jewels in marathon canoe racing's "triple crown."

Over 40 two-person teams are expected to compete for a share of the largest purse in canoe racing — over

\$46,000 cash and prizes — being offered for the 46th annual running of the AuSable race, including over \$2,500 in performance bonuses offered by the Weyerhaeuser AuSable Marathon's official soft drink — Crystal Pepsi.

First staged in 1947, this 14 1/2- to 19-hour, non-stop overnight canoe race is recognized as one of this country's original ultra-endurance events and is a favorite of spectators, attracting tens of thousands of fans who view part or all of the Marathon on the fabled AuSable River.

The contestants will paddle over 50,000 paddle strokes at a rate of 60-80 strokes per minute, portage six hydroelectric dams and steer clear of the river's natural obstacles, attempting to successfully complete the 120 mile non-stop course and finish in Oscoda, on the shores of Lake Huron, within

the 19-hour qualifying deadline.

During the race the paddlers receive no outside help, except food and water provided by "bank runners" or "feeders" who meet them along the course to provide the paddlers their only sustenance. River obstacles, the darkness, inclement weather, and the sheer torture of up to 19 hours of non-stop paddling all play on the contestants' physical and mental capabilities.

At dusk on race night, thousands of fans line the riverbank in this small north-central Michigan town to catch a glimpse of the spine-tingling Leman-style running start as the teams carry their canoes and race through the streets of Grayling to the river. The two-person teams paddle the first eight hours of the Marathon — the most twisting, challenging part of the course — during the night. Many fans follow

the race throughout the night along the AuSable River, recognized as one of the finest canoeing and trout streams east of the Mississippi. They drive to bridges, public access sites and dam portages to cheer on the gritty competitors. Past Weyerhaeuser AuSable River Canoe Marathon competitors have noted the performance boost they received when cheered on during the early morning darkness by the crowds of hardy, enthusiastic fans.

The top teams will be vying for a \$5,000 1st place prize as well as taking a shot at collecting the \$1,000 City Environmental Services bonus for breaking the all-time Marathon record. That record (14:20:00) was set in 1988 by last year's AuSable champions, Serge Corbin (36) of St. Boniface de Shawinigan, Quebec, and Brett Stockton (30) of Grayling. Corbin and Stockton were also crowned the "triple crown" champions of North American Canoe Racing last year after winning all the "triple crown" events.

The pair are not teaming up again this year, however. Corbin entry has not yet been received, but he is expected to team with another past AuSable winner, Solomon Carriere (36) of Cumberland House, Saskatchewan. Corbin-Carriere won the first leg of the "triple crown" events, the General Clinton race in New York, over Memorial Day weekend. Stockton has said he does not plan to race the Weyerhaeuser AuSable Marathon this year, but race observers do not rule out the possibility of his appearance.

Just arrived in Grayling to prepare for the Marathon is an English team —

Karl Slater (21) and Peter Jones (30) of Merley Wimbourne, Dorset, England. The pair qualified for its trip to the AuSable race by winning the two-man division of England's major paddling race, the Devizes-Westminster race on the Thames River. Northwest Airlines supplied round-trip London-Detroit air passage and the Holiday Inn of Grayling is providing lodging and full support for the men during their preparation and competition.

The Weyerhaeuser AuSable River Canoe Marathon is held in conjunction with a full slate of activities, July 22-25, including Grayling's AuSable River Festival and parade and the Glen's Market AuSable Challenge Events, a series of pre-Marathon races held in Grayling and Oscoda. The events recognize the importance of the fabled AuSable River to these small northern Michigan communities.

Marathon events get underway with

the sprints for position on Friday afternoon, July 23, in Grayling. The sprints are much like Indy-car qualifying. The teams paddle a short, looped course with elapsed time determining starting-row position for Saturday evening's LeMans-style running start to the river.

Grayling State Bank (GSB), City Environmental Services and Big Boy Restaurants are associate sponsors of the Weyerhaeuser AuSable River Canoe Marathon. Major logistical support of the event is being provided by Cellular One, the official communications agent, and Pelican Products, the official flashlight of the Weyerhaeuser AuSable River Canoe Marathon.

A brochure detailing the full schedule of events for the Marathon, Grayling's AuSable River Festival and the Oscoda area events is available from: Grayling Area Visitors Council (517-348-2921 or 800-YES-8837).

Marathon limited edition prints, shirts by Terry Dickinson are available

Local Grayling artist Terry Dickinson has completed the artwork for the 1993 Weyerhaeuser AuSable River Canoe Marathon limited edition prints and limited edition shirts. The exciting unique Leman's-style running start of the Marathon is the subject of

this year's image.

Previous year's limited edition images include the Marathon record-setting performance by Brett Stockton and Serge Corbin, a dam portage by several teams, and "women of the marathon."

Only 100 sets of the limited edition prints were issued with half of them sold last year. A very limited number of the full set of four prints are available this year for \$160. Those who purchased print sets last year can purchase the matching number 1993 print for \$40.

One hundred limited edition shirts are issued each year at \$25 per shirt. Shirt numbers "1 of 100" through "5 of 100" are auctioned to the highest bidder each year at the Paddlers' Dinner in Grayling on Friday night of race week. Shirt "1 of 100" has fetched as much as \$200.

People who have previously purchased limited edition prints or shirts and would like to reserve their 1993 shirt or print should contact Barb at the Marathon office in Grayling (348-4425).

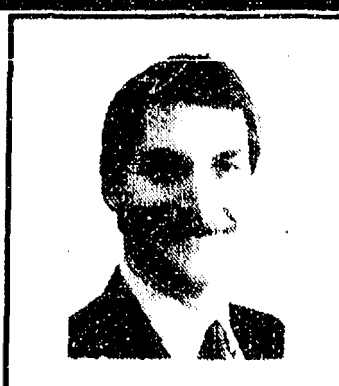
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Bowlers to meet

The Grayling Men's Bowling Association will hold its annual meeting on July 28 at 7 p.m. at Legion Lanes. All members should be present.

The Friday Mixed Doubles will hold its meeting on July 30, at 7 p.m. at Legion Lanes. Team captains must attend the meeting to hold a spot. New teams are welcome. Bowling begins on September 3.

The American 1st Division will hold its meeting on July 27, at 7 p.m. Team captains must be present to hold a spot. New teams are welcome. Bowling begins on September 7.

Local residents graduate from FSU

A total of 1,207 students completed the requirements for certificates, associate's, bachelor's and doctoral degrees at Ferris State University during the spring quarter, 1993, including four from Grayling: Ralph C. Opperman, B.S. in business administration; Amy M. LaGrow, B.S. in advertising; Cynthia Harland, A.A.S. in child development; and Pamela Heidi Stephenson, A.A.S. in child development.

LOVELLS NEWS

We have a big winner in Lovells!! We want to commend Mary Trombley for being the winner of a Toro riding lawn mower worth \$1,500. She had a bumper sticker on her car from WGRY-101.1 radio station, and she was one that got spotted and went into the drawing. Her name was drawn out and she was the winner. Good job Mary!! The date she won was June 30th.

1993 Weyerhaeuser AuSable River Canoe Marathon Official Entry List As Of July 7		
Name	Age	City
Bruce Barton	36	Homer
Tim Triebold	40	Marinette
Dave Shepherd	37	Grayling
Peter Heed	43	Westmoreland
Albert Widing, Sr.	68	Mio
Fritz Lamm	21	Clarkston
Rick Joy	34	Silverwood
Jim Harwood	28	Grayling
Joe Pollack	34	Belding
Ted Taber	41	Greenville
Gene Taber	44	Lake Odessa
Frank Taber	43	Lowell
Brenda Carlson	32	Grayling
Carrie Trudgeon	23	Grayling
Ted Kolka	27	Grayling
Bill Schmitz	39	Milford
Ken Kolonich	47	Eaton Rapids
Steve Kolonich	21	Eaton Rapids
Tom Cannon	37	East Lansing
Connie Canon		East Lansing
Kevin Curley	34	Oscoda
Michael Montgomery	27	Oscoda
Bill DuBois	35	Jackson
Doug Dalton	35	Griswold Lake
Douglas Welch	58	Owosso
Mark Rimer	38	Horton
Tony Short	29	Prescott
Scott McKenzie	34	Mt. Pleasant
Dan Gary	35	Oscoda
Brad Wassmann	24	Oscoda
Clark Kent	33	Lapeer
Hank Feldhauser	39	Howell
Lynne Witte	39	Mt. Clemens
Blaine Toni		Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada
Kenny Larkin	44	St-Louis De France, Quebec, Canada
Dave Larkin	18	St-Louis De France, Quebec, Canada
Jon Webb	33	Lachine
Greg Kolka	32	Bay City
Cary Bush	35	Janesville, Wisconsin
John Sullivan	23	Haslett
Lee Deviney	33	Austin, Texas
Kevin Van Oort	32	Austin, Texas
Brian Krantz	41	Traverse City
Doug Moggo		Grayling
Roger Myers	32	Martindale, Texas
Jerry Cochran	38	San Marcos, Texas
Dan Rice	38	Roscommon
Nickie Rice	15	Roscommon
James Carl	53	Postoria
Dick Kloss	51	Grand Bend, Ontario, Canada
Ray Yehl	41	East Tawas
Debbie Graham	33	Oscoda
Bernie Tuszynski	36	Gaylord
Bill Fick	38	Blissfield
Bill Torongo	31	Roscommon
Jeff Kolka	34	Grayling
Randy Drake	39	Virginia Beach, Virginia
Alan Rudquist	33	Grand Rapids, Minnesota
Dan Charleson	37	Clinton, Indiana
Daniel Boissonneault	42	Cap De Madeline, Quebec, Canada
Tom Urbano	36	Altamont, New York
Bill Moran	33	Camillus, New York
Karl Slater	21	Merley Wimborne, Dorset, England
Peter Jones	30	Merley Wimborne, Dorset, England

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